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# THE WORLD OF BARBARITIES

## Summary of Volume I

A long time ago, in a far away kingdom. The setting is a small country surrounded by mountains, called Lorraine. A threatening letter is sent to the pride of Lorraine, Lord Judiciary Montague. In response to this, Viscount Adam comes from neighbouring Xehana to act as a bodyguard. However, behind Adam's incredible beauty lies a promiscuous beast who will eat up man and woman, young and old! Adam then falls in love with the straight-laced nephew of the Lord Judiciary, Joel. Who then turns out to be Lord Montague himself...!? In amongst the politics, religion and ambition, the vexing and exciting love story of these two opposites unfolds...

## Introducing The Main Characters

**Joel Letreux**

Montague Joel Letreux, Lord Judiciary Montague, Head of the Justice Department's nephew... is his disguise, the truth is he himself is Lord Judiciary Montague. He is a Lord that took up the judge's robes under orders from the previous, deceased King. He is a serious man who accepted his position in order to support the people and acts as an adviser to the young King. He respects the law and is an atheist. Straight-laced and indifferent towards love.

**Viscount Adam Canning**

Adam Eric Canning, of Xehana. An illegitimate child. Came to Lorraine to act as Lord Judiciary Montague's bodyguard. Has familial ties to Lorraine's Queen Mother. When he was young his mother remarried and so he was passed to Baron Auber of Old Xehana for adoption. As a parting gift his mother bestowed on Adam a peerage.

A large country feared by its neighbours. A greedy country seeking to expand its power.

Tance

Lorraine

A small, vitally situated country surrounded by powerhouses. The Church of the Goddess has not yet taken root here and is conflicting with the country's other religions.

**Paul**

Adam's valet. The straight man to Adam's fool. He understands and supports Adam more than anyone else.

**Queen Mother Eleanor**

Christopher's mother. Formerly from Old Xehana. A distant relation of Adam.

**Luka**

Young prince and son of the current King of Tanse. Currently in Lorraine for his health. Louis spoils him and treats him like a much younger brother.

**His Majesty, Christopher.**

Young King of Lorraine. Nicknamed Chris.

**Cardinal Rotz Brandon**

On dispatch from the Holy See of the Goddess in Xehana. He helps with religious matters as a member of the Privy Council.

**Louis (Prince Fredaux)**

Royalty of the neighbouring Tanse, currently on a pleasure cruise around the land. Currently staying in Lorraine to observe it. The future king of a large country, he is hard to deal with.

**Gil**

Former slave. Louis has engaged him as his faithful servant. When Louis gets drunk he and Gil have relations.

A long time ago. In a different world from ours.
Lorraine
There was a beautiful man in a small country who knew no fidelity.
The man was single and accepted any man or woman who propositioned him.
He enjoyed spending his days like that, and imagined that he would spend the rest of his days living that unusual life.
Then he fell in love for the first time.
Yet no matter what he did, that person would not respond to his advances.

The one he fell in love with was his complete opposite. A moralistic and stubborn man.

BARBA

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
ARE YOU GOING TO COLLECT THE THREATENING LETTERS ADDRESSED TO OTHERS?
THAT'S RIGHT
MY MEN'S INVESTIGATIONS HAVE LED TO THE DISCOVERY THAT YOU ARE NOT THE ONLY PERSON TO HAVE BEEN THREATENED THIS WAY.
COLLECT THE THREATENING LETTERS?

IT SHOULD BE EASY TO GAIN INFORMATION FROM THE INK, PAPER, HANDWRITING AND WORDING OF THE LETTERS.
THIS IS A SMALL COUNTRY.
WITH FURTHER INVESTIGATION, THERE MAY BE EVEN MORE.
CARDINAL BRANDON, AND SEVERAL CABINET MINISTERS OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL.

....
THE IDEA HAS MERIT, BUT

THE CARDINAL WOULD ALSO OPPOSE SUCH AN ORDER.
THEY COULD JUST SAY THEY HADN'T RECEIVED ANYTHING.
...AGAIN, IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT.

THEY WON'T COOPERATE WITH YOU EASILY...
YOU HAVE NO IDEAS THE SECRETS THOSE LETTERS CONTAIN, DO YOU?
IF YOU AND THE CARDINAL WERE TO GIVE THE ORDER?

HM.

SO IT SEEMS IT'S NOT AS SIMPLE AS GIVING THE ORDER AND HAVING IT OBEYED.

I'LL CONTINUE WITH THE ORIGINAL INVESTIGATION THEN.

IF I WERE TO MANAGE TO PERSUADE ANYONE TO HAND OVER THE LETTERS THEY HAD RECEIVED

COULD WE COMPARE THEM TO YOURS?

FEEL FREE, BUT..

'PERSUADE'..?

I HAVE A BAD FEELING ABOUT THIS.

YOU DON'T CARE ABOUT THE METHODS I USE.

..WELL, THAT'S TRUE ENOUGH..

What are you planning?

SO PLEASE DO NOT WORRY.
I'LL TAKE MY LEAVE.
... YES.

shock
BUT MOST FIND MY METHODS OF QUESTIONING QUITE SATISFACTORY.

glance
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT,

There's still a strange distance between us
This off behavior of his s making me tiptoe around him
I can't be eve I got ated to how he u s

...
HAAAH.

clack
clack.

All of my letters were demands for me to ret re my posit on
At first I thought they were related to the arrest of the corrupt marquis
I received similar letters follow ng that nc dent
It culminated in the attack a few days ago
Threatening letters
Now I think of t they were what started all of this
Yet we st ll don't know their true aim
Ah
Ahh I see
So that's what Adam is after

clatter
...IS ANYONE THERE?!
He wants to get this over with and go back to Xehana
He must want this dull job over and done with already
YES, SIR, CAN WE HELP YOU?
MY GUARDS ARE LOOKING INTO THE THREATENING LETTERS.
I ALSO INTEND TO DO THE SAME. I'D LIKE HELP FROM ANYONE WHO IS FREE.
Y, YES, SIR!
DO WE HAVE AN EMPTY COUNCIL ROOM?
WE WILL ALSO BE CONSIDERING THE HERETICS.
BRING EVERYTHING TO DO WITH THE FIRES.
YES, SIR.
I-I'LL HELP TOO!
ME TOO!

IT SEEMS THAT LORD MONTAGUE HAS GATHERED ALL FREE HANDS TO LOOK INTO THE THREATENING LETTERS.
ALL THE YOUNG OFFICIALS HAVE PROBABLY GATHERED TO TALK ABOUT IT.
...HUH.
THE FOOD HALL IS STRANGELY LOUD TODAY.
chatter
chatter

...OH.
HE'S POPULAR.
HE IS!

EVERY ONE OF THEM ARE DESPERATE TO CATCH LORD MONTAGUE'S EYE.
THEY ALL CAME HERE BECAUSE THEY ADMIRED HIM.
HM?
Aren't we the ones looking into it??

JUST AS HE REACHED WHERE HE IS BY HIS OWN ABILITY, HE EVEN PROMOTES ABLE COMMONERS!
SO DESPITE HIS STANDOFFISH-NESS HE IS VERY POPULAR!
YET HE IS VERY FAIR AND ALWAYS ACKNOWLEDGES INDIVIDUAL MERIT!
LORD MONTAGUE IS A STUBBORN MAN FAMOUS FOR HIS FLAT REFUSALS OF FLATTERY AND BRIBERY.

I TOLD HIM WE WOULD INVESTIGATE, SO WHY THE NEED TO DO IT HIMSELF...?

THIS WHOLE THING IS RATHER SUSPICIOUS

...I SEE.

BUT IT'S A PROBLEM.

Wh—you were bragging to your parents about this job, too!

So you're a fan, ?

STAB

HE MIGHT NOT TRUST US.

PFFT

HAHAHA, THAT'S TRUE.

I'M SORRY, THIS GUY IS AN IDIOT!

whoa, he's really crying

BUT REALLY CAPTAIN, ISN'T IT ABOUT TIME YOU MADE AMENDS WITH LORD MONTAGUE?

DO YOU ENJOY MAKING ME CRY?

I-IT WAS JUST A JOKE, CAPTAIN!

YOU APOLOGIZE, TOO.

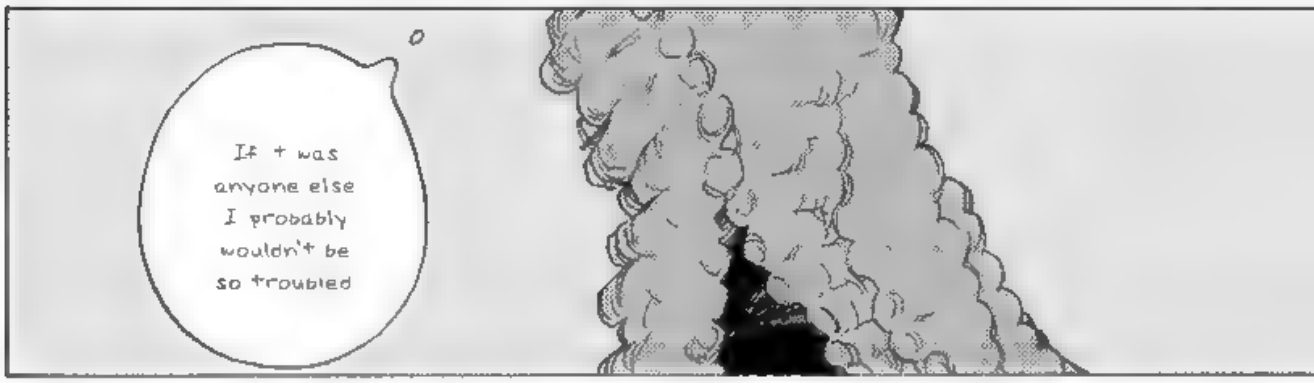
.....

EH?

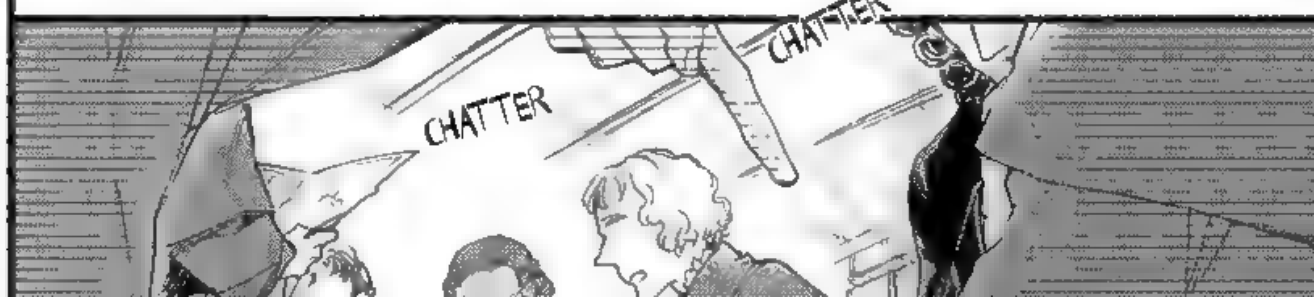
I-I'M SORRY!

...
YES, SIR! AT THIS RATE THE MORAL OF THE TROOPS WILL FALL, TOO.
AMENDS?
IT'S DIFFICULT WITH YOU NOT BEING YOUR USUAL SELF.
I'M SORRY, PLEASE DON'T THINK TOO MUCH ON IT!!
Ahhh
tremble
I've just had my heart broken and I've no idea which way is up..
I wonder what kind of man I used to be
'Make amends'
We never even fought so how can we make amends?
Let's just shut up and eat
munch
munch
munch
munch
sigh
whisper

Yet the way I feel I doubt I will be able to restrain myself
I know that having him think of me as a friend is a great honor
SNIFF


If it was anyone else I probably wouldn't be so troubled

I see
Unrequited love really is as difficult as they say


CHATTER
CHATTER

IT ALL LOOKS THE SAME TO ME.
HE'S A STATIONARY-PHILE.
I CAN CONFIRM IT WITH THE STORES...
YOU'RE VERY SURE?
mutter
THE PAPER IS AN IMPORT SOLD BY A SHOP CALLED EIDER ON GRAND AVENUE.
THE INK IS AN ORIGINAL FROM STANFORD ON FORK STREET YOU CAN SEE THE THINNING AND SLIGHT BLURING AT THE ENDS OF THE LETTERS.
THE CREAM-COLOR AND FLEXIBILITY IS CHARACTERISTIC.
brighten
Y-YES, SIR!
PLEASE GO AND SPEAK TO THE SHOP OWNERS
I SEE, WELL DONE
LORD MONTAGUE, I'D LIKE TO LOOK INTO THE HANDWRITING. MAY I COLLATE PREVIOUS WRITTEN STATEMENTS..?
YOU MAY, BUT THAT WILL BE VERY TIME-CONSUMING?
NOT AT ALL! PLEASE LET ME DO THIS FOR YOU!

smile

THANK YOU FOR THIS.

THEN PLEASE DO.
LET'S END IT HERE TODAY
TAKE CARE ON YOUR WAY HOME, EVERYONE.
YES, SIR!

THAT WAS WELL DONE.
squeal
squeal

...I CAME TO COLLECT YOU BUT YOU APPEARED TO BE ENJOYING YOURSELF.
YOU'RE VERY TALENTED AT ROUSING THE YOUNGER COUNCILORS.
WH-YOU WERE HERE?

I TOLD YOU I WOULD HANDLE THE INVESTIGATION.

I HOPE THAT THOSE CHILDREN DON'T GO TOO FAR WITH THEIR YOUTHFUL VIGOR.

INSTI- ..?

HOWEVER THIS BLATANT INSTIGATION IS A PROBLEM.

I DON'T THINK I AM...

WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF ONE OF THEM WERE TO GET HURT FLUTTERING ABOUT?

HM

THEY'RE SMARTER THAN THAT.

I FULLY INTENDED TO PASS THE INFORMATION ON TO YOU..

I WILL HANDLE THINGS LIKE THIS.

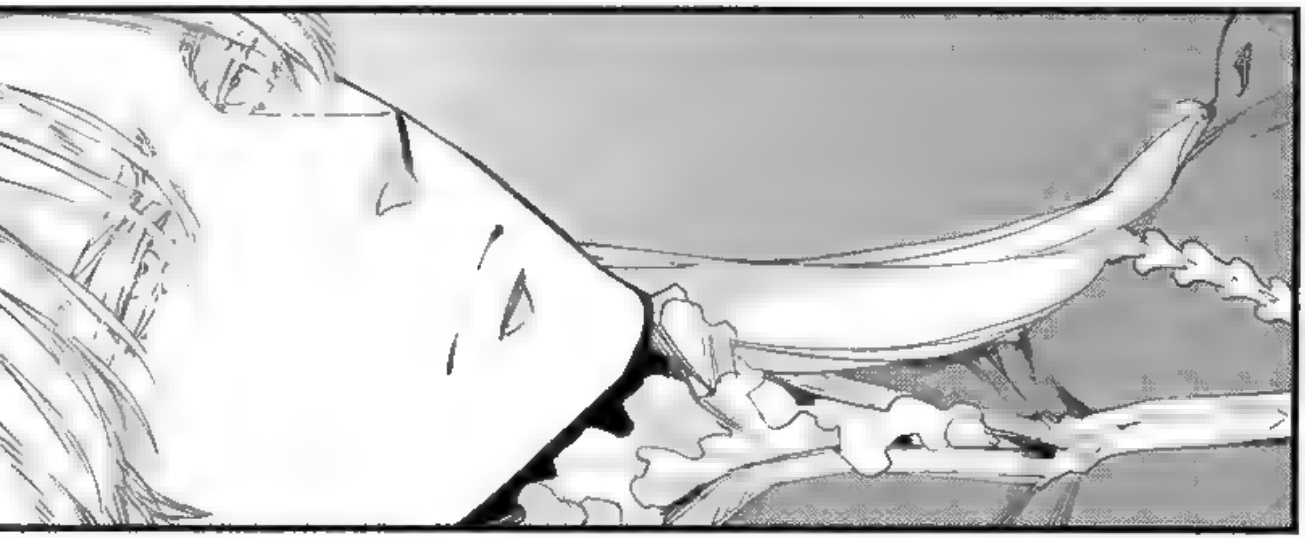
I DON'T WANT NOVICES HOLDING ME BACK.

THIS IS MY JOB SO PLEASE ALLOW ME TO DO IT.

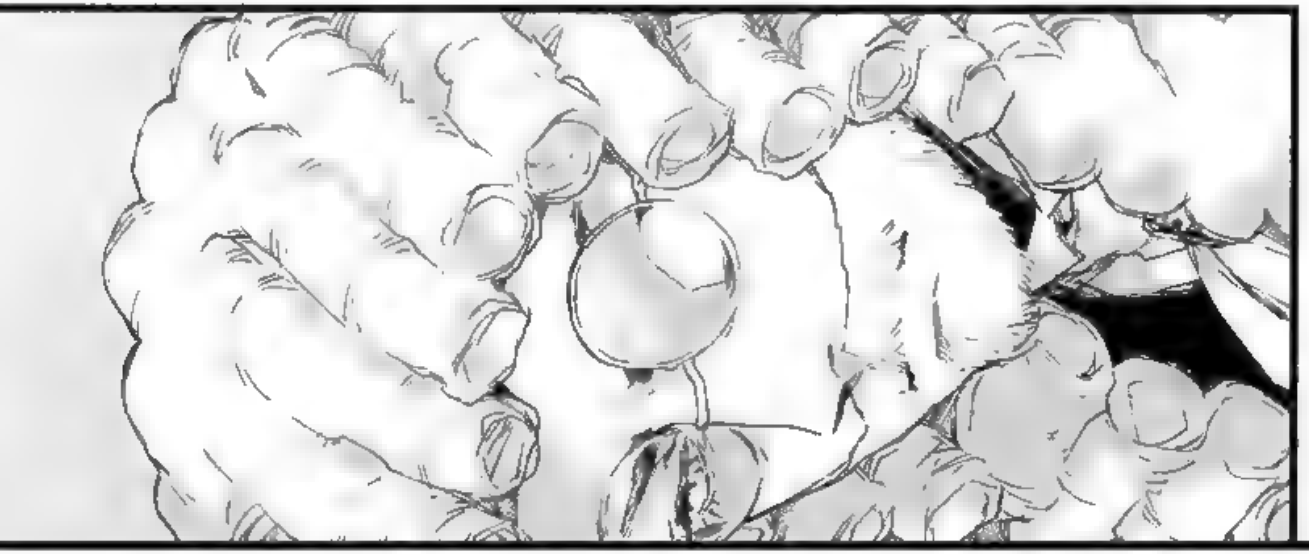
I simply,
thought that you wanted to get away from me as soon as you could
— NH
—
PRESS

UNDERSTOOD. I'LL LEAVE THE REST TO YOU.

have we pulled
so far apart?



We have fallen so far from where we want to be...



Sigh
...HONESTLY.
IS SOMETHING WRONG, LORD MONTAGUE?
WHUMP

LEAVE ME UNTIL DINNER, PLEASE
YES, SIR.
...NO, NOTHING, JUST WORK.

What was that phrasing for?
He was basically calling me useless
ruffle
ruffle
It would be much better to pool our knowledge

clank
clank
clank

He should just speak his mind. I
I too, could have explained myself

.....

I

wonder what the true shape of our relationship really is?

As time passes, will it become clear to us?

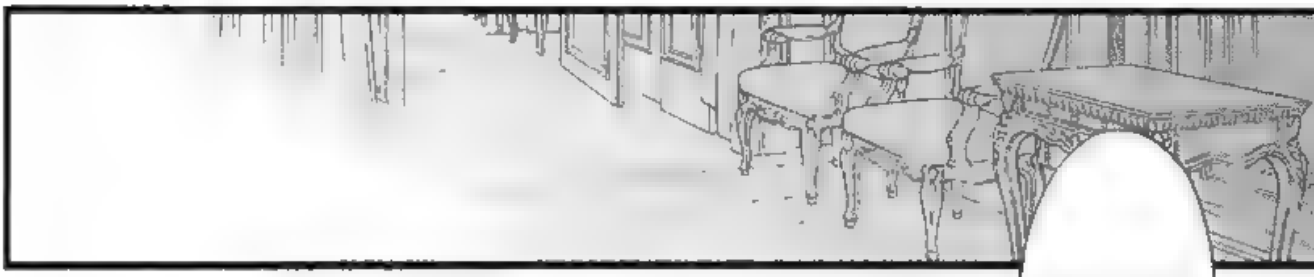
I hope so

LORD MONTAGUE,
LORD MONTAGUE, A MOMENT?
YES, COME IN.

tap
tap

HE SAID HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL,
AND THAT HE HAD AN URGENT MESSAGE FOR YOU...
..?
ALRIGHT, SHOW HIM TO THE RECEPTION ROOM.

HAS SOMETHING HAPPENED?
YOU HAVE A VISITOR.
VISITOR?



...AH.

..?
AH. WHO MIGHT YOU BE?
I ASKED TO MEET WITH LORD MONTAGUE?

SORRY TO KEEP YOU WAITING,
WHAT IS THE URGENT MESSAGE?
Oh the stationary while

AH! OH, YOUR PARDON!

I HAVE HEARD RUMORS OF YOU.

Rumors

MY UNCLE IS ENGAGED AND SENT ME IN HIS STEAD.

. PARDON ME, I'M HIS NEPHEW, JOE.

Can they really not tell!?

UM... THIS

ARRIVED AT OUR HOME.

UM.. I'M AFRAID MY FAMILY ARE MERCHANTS

AND WE HAVE A LARGE CONTACT NETWORK.

THE PAPER AND INK ON THIS IS EXACTLY THE SAME AS THOSE LETTERS.

IF IT WAS JUST ONE OR THE OTHER IT MIGHT BE NOTHING, BUT .

. . .INDEED.

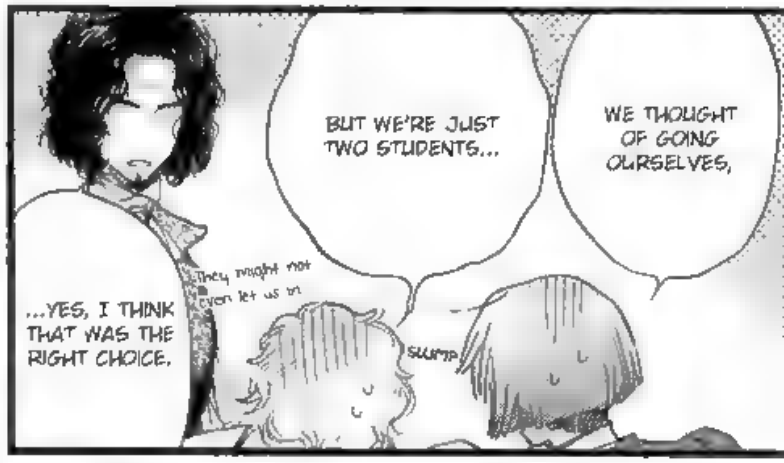
THIS IS?

WE WERE ANALYZING THE THREATENING LETTERS THAT LORD MONTAGUE RECEIVED. .

YES, MY UNCLE INFORMED ME

.....

ALSO, THIS LETTER OF INVITATION,
IT'S FOR AN EVENING PARTY BEING HELD TONIGHT.


...YES, I THINK THAT WAS THE RIGHT CHOICE.
They might not even let us in
BUT WE'RE JUST TWO STUDENTS...
WE THOUGHT OF GOING OURSELVES,
SLUMP

IT CANNOT BE A COINCIDENCE!
BUT WE CANNOT LET THIS CHANCE GO TO WASTE!
AN EVENING PARTY HELD AT GODFREY MANOR IS UNLIKELY TO BE ANYTHING WHOLESOME...

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EXCUSE ME, I SEEM TO BE LATE.
CLATTER
CLATTER
CLATTER
CAN I STILL COME IN?
I HAVE AN INVITATION.

PAY IT NO MIND.
BUT IT WAS MY INVITATION LETTER ..

VERY WELL, PLEASE ENJOY YOUR NIGHT!
THANK YOU!

LORD SARI..
ONE ATTENDANT?
EH? AH, YES.
glance

IT SEEMS THAT IF SWORDS WERE PERMITTED HERE, FIGHTING WOULD MOST LIKELY HAPPEN.
CREAK

EH?
.. SEEMS LIKE THIS BANQUET IS RATHER DANGEROUS.

It must be because he's wearing such fine clothes.
Mine aren't cheap either.
mutter mutter
PLEASE LEAVE YOUR COAT HERE.
ALSO ANY WEAPONRY.

CHATTER
IT'S A FLOOD OF SOUND.
THERE S ORCHESTRAS EVERYWHERE!
WOW .
chatter
chatter

chatter
chatter
I'M SURPRISED WE HAVE SUCH ELABORATE BANQUETS.
I THOUGHT LORRAINE WAS A SMALL RURAL COUNTRY.
YES...!
WAHAHA

Quality crystals and ornamentat ons made by qual ty craftsmen are collect ng in th s country

Yet the people buying them are eccentric fore gners

The one who organized this has skillfully set the tone

They must hold some kind of connect on to the foreigners

OH, PLEASE LOOK OVER THERE!

yawn
A HUGE BIRD CAGE!
IT MUST BE THE CENTERPIECE OF THE BANQUET...

nghhh
NM---M!
THIS IS DULLER THAN I WAS EXPECTING.
OH.
Rustle

.....!!!!!
OH MY OH MY YOU LOOK VERY FAMILIAR.
?
Oh, where have
seen him before ?
mutter

HAHAHA, AH,
AMAZING, I CAN UNDER-STAND YOU.
ARE YOU DOING HERE!?!
WHAT
flap flap

PLEASE DON'T, DEAR CUSTOMER.

..HE WAS THE ONE TALKING TO ME?
SORRY, I WAS BORED.

hmm
Eep
YOU MAY ONLY KEEP THE BIRD TO YOURSELF ONCE YOU HAVE BOUGHT IT.

THAT'S NO GOOD DIDIER.
WHEN YOU TALK YOU RUIN YOUR GOOD LOOKS.
UNDERSTAND?
I understand.
Completely

HAHA.
.... DIDIER?
PLEASE ENJOY YOURSELF
I'LL BE RIGHT THERE.
MADAM OLIVIA, YOUR HUSBAND IS CALLING FOR YOU.

I NEVER EXPECTED TO SEE YOU IN A DANGEROUS PLACE LIKE THIS WAS THAT A 'COME HERE OFTEN' LINE? MAYBE ..LOL.
MORE IMPORTANTLY,
I EXPERIMENT WITH EVERY FORM OF INFORMATION GATHERING.

YOU SEEM RATHER PLEASED.
FUFUFU.
He's completely forgotten
We met in a place just like this
He's surprisingly quite reckless
WHY ARE YOU SMIRKING AT ME?
IT'S CREEPY!
EH-
EVEN THOUGH I'M A FAMOUS BEAUTY!?

.. OH.
IF I TALK TO YOU TOO MUCH I'LL DRAW ATTENTION.
stare
stare
ARE YOU LOOKING FOR THE FOREIGN ORGANIZER OF THIS BANQUET?
THEN WE'RE AFTER THE SAME THING.
TAKE THIS COIN TO THE 'BLUE DOOR'. .
AND THERE, BE MY SALVATION.

..JOEL?

GASP

.....

MASTER JOEL!

It's been a while since I saw his face properly

He can talk to me like he used to!

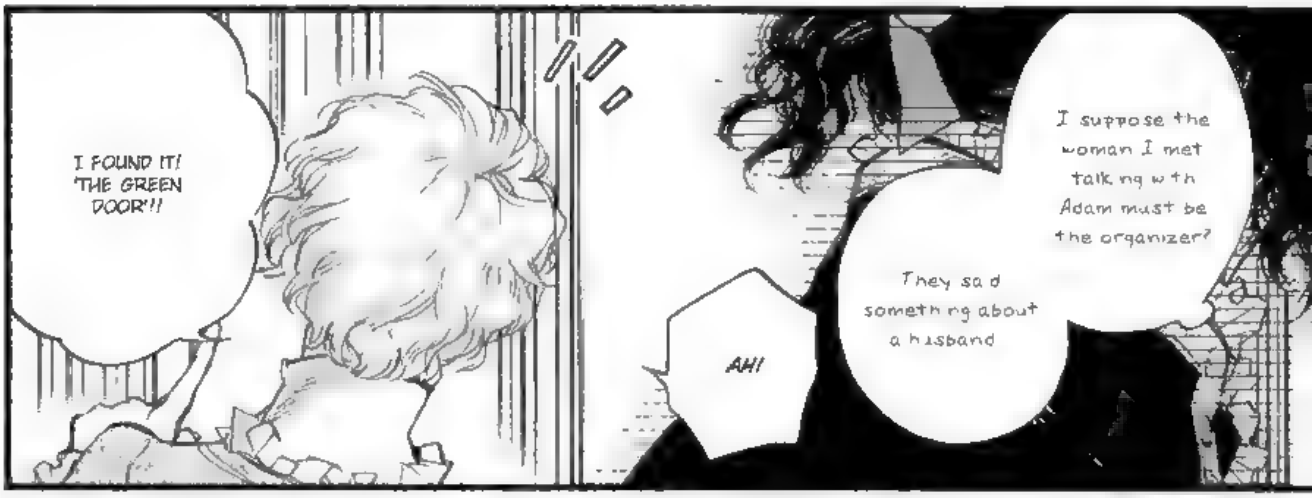
YOU CAN STAY IN THERE FOREVER!

SAFER FOR EVERYONE THAT WAY!

what

EVERYTHING IN HERE TRULY IS FOR SALE.
I UNDERSTAND THE RULES MUCH MORE, NOW, TOO.
YES, EVERYTHING HERE IS SO UNUSUAL.
MR. SARI, YOU WERE HERE?
THE BARGAINING IS DONE WITH THESE AND THEN EVERYONE IS TAKEN TO A DIFFERENT ROOM FOR AUCTION.
I RECEIVED ONE MYSELF.
THE ORCHESTRA'S INSTRUMENTS, AND THE PLAYERS THEMSELVES.
ALSO THOSE STURDY MEN ALONG WITH THEIR WEAPONS.
THE PEOPLE IN THE CAGES AND EVERYTHING THEY'RE WEARING
. ....
A RARE STYLE OF PEN WITH INTERIOR INK STORAGE!
WHAT IS IT YOU WERE PLANNING TO BUY?
. ..
I SEE.
'The Blue Door'
Ilsee

He's the kind of man who'll happily lend someone his mansion for a price
From the looks of it he's just another guest
The owner of this mansion, Godfrey, is also here


I FOUND IT! THE GREEN DOOR!!
AH!
They said something about a husband
I suppose the woman I met talking with Adam must be the organizer?

IT'S THE ONE FURTHEST ALONG GO QUICKLY.
YOUR COIN IS FOR THE BLUE DOOR!

OH, SORRY YOUNG MAN.
HEY...!
AH

I'M JUST GOING TO INVESTIGATE!
THEN- AH- I-
EH?
Green?

...LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

THIS IS OUR FIRST SHOW TO BE HELD IN LORRAINE,

WE DO HOPE YOU ALL ENJOY YOURSELVES

WE HAVE SELECTED THE FINEST GOODS AND PEOPLE FROM THE NORTHERN COUNTRY OF HARPLIEN AND BROUGHT THEM SOUTH.

ANYTHING YOU DESIRE IS HERE

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SWISH
A SAD LITTLE BIRD THAT WE CAPTURED IN THE MOUNTAINS OF HEADEN.
FOR EXAMPLE, A SINGLE, LONELY BIRD...
CHATTER
NOW, WHO OF YOU AMONG YOU WILL SET HIM FREE?
Fiddlesticks
SQUEAL

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chatter

WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU WIN HIM?

CAN HE BE SET FREE?

WHERE'S HARPLIEN?

IT'S LIKE HE'S OTHERWORLDLY.

I FEEL LIKE I'VE SEEN HIS FACE SOMEWHERE BEFORE..

ISN'T HEADEN FICTIONAL?

HE'S GORGEOUS!

WHO IS HE?

chatter

THE RULES ARE SIMPLE.

THIS BIRD GOES TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER.

chatter

HE IS THE CENTREPIECE OF OUR CURRENT INVENTORY!

...

NOW, ENTER THE FIRST BID!

Too!
Too!
To become an item like this
It's Adam, so he probably approached them himself
Too
I knew he specialized in tasteless things like this,
but still
Why isn't he raising his head?
THAT'S SOME FINERY YOU'RE WEARING
AREN'T YOU GOING TO BID?
WHAT'S WRONG? YOU'VE GOT SOME GOLD TO SPARE, RIGHT?

COMING HERE WHEN YOU DON'T WANT HIM,
MEANS HE GAVE YOU THE COIN HIMSELF?
...WHAT OF IT?

YOU SAY THAT AFTER COMING ALL THIS WAY TO THE ROOM?
HAHA!
I DON'T WANT HIM.

...

YOU'RE NOTHING LIKE I IMAGINED.
I SEE, SO YOU'RE THE ONE ADAM WAS TALKING ABOUT

HOW ABOUT HIRING US ON?
ADAM PROMISED TO INTRODUCE US.
BUT MEETING YOU LIKE THIS SPEEDS THINGS UP.
HAH?

...WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?
NO,
I JUST WANTED TO SPEAK TO YOU FACE TO FACE.

EMPLOYEES DIRTY LAUNDRY, EVEN ACTING AS BODYGUARDS. WE DO IT ALL.

tug

!

INFILTRATION AND INFORMATION GATHERING OF OTHER COUNTRIES.

THE 'WANDERER' IN CHARGE OF THIS BANQUET.

ME AND MY BUDDIES ARE ALL OUTCASTS.

..WHO ARE YOU?

whap

YOU'VE SEEN OUR HIGH-QUALITY SKILLS HOSTING THIS BANQUET, RIGHT?

WE SPECIALIZE IN INFORMATION GATHERING AND NEGOTIATIONS.

SO YOU'RE THE ORGANIZER.

I'M JUST NICE TO MEET YOU.

I SEE I CAUGHT YOUR INTEREST.

OF COURSE IT WOULD BE NOTHING TO US TO FIND OUT WHO'S THREATENING YOU.

WE WERE THE ONES WHO SENT OUT THE INVITATIONS TO LURE HIM HERE.

TO THINK YOU WOULD ACTUALLY COME YOURSELF!

chuckle

WHO ARE THEY? WHERE ARE THEY?

A POINTLESS PRODUCTION

SLOW DOWN.

YOU'LL KNOW EVERYTHING AFTER THE BANQUET.

OH, BUT DON'T GET YOUR HOPES UP, THEY'RE JUST SMALL FRIES.

ADAM HAD ARRANGED IT SO THEY'D BE SENT TO YOU AS A GIFT.

...THOUGH HE'S NOT TOO EXCITED ABOUT ME AND MY NEW WIFE WORKING FOR YOU.

THAT ADAM IS AN INTERESTING ONE.

HE CAME TO US SAYING YOU DIDN'T HAVE ENOUGH PEOPLE ON YOUR SIDE,

AND THAT HE WANTED MORE PEOPLE TO HELP HIM PROTECT YOU.

SO PULL OUT YOUR PURSE.

that he's lost interest and pulled away

HAH!?

IT'S FINE IF YOU PAY IT,

BUT ADAM SAID HE'D WORK IT OFF IN A NIGHT AND SO.

RECOMPENSE.

THAT'S A GIVEN, RIGHT?

NH?

COME NOW, EVERYONE!!

WHAT!?

SO HE'S BEEN DOSED UP.

HOWEVER, MY WIFE WAS WORRIED THAT HE'D CHANGE HIS MIND

HE REALLY IS.

Good grief.

He is astonishingly stupid.

THE BIDS ARE ALREADY HIGH ENOUGH TO BUY AN OLD CASTLE!

WHICH OF YOU WILL BE BUYING HIS FREEDOM?

chatter

chatter

THE LADY AND GENTLEMAN OVER THERE!

MURMUR

MURMUR

7,000 Gold!
7,300 Gold!
7,500!
8,000!
This is getting silly
WELL WELL, SEEMS LIKE YOU NEED TO WATCH OUT FOR THOSE TWO.
THE LADY'S HUSBAND, LOVER AND THE FOLLOWING LOVER ALL WENT MISSING.
THE GENTLEMAN S EVEN WORSE HE'S EXTREMELY INTO TORTURE, TO THE POINT THAT NOTHING ELSE WILL DO IT FOR HIM.
8,100 Gold!
8,200 Gold!
10,000 gold!

...IS THAT ENOUGH?
I CAN GO HIGHER.

Mutter
sigh

...
?

...OH.
JOEL...?
YOU'VE FINALLY WOKEN UP
THEY WERE GETTING IN THE WAY
SO I TOOK YOUR WINGS OFF
THE LONG WIG, TOO.
THIS IS A GOOD DREAM...

TO HAVE YOU BESIDE ME,
WHEN I WAKE UP.
. . . .
I BOUGHT YOU FOR 12,000 GOLD.
FREEZE
DOES THIS MEAN I'VE BECOME YOUR PLAYTHING. !?
NO.
Don't look so happy at the thought
grip
EH.
REMEMBER NOW?
...YEAH.

IT'S AN INVESTMENT IN THAT GROUP.
I DIDN'T NEED YOU TO RAISE THE MONEY, I CAN PAY THAT MUCH MYSELF.
...
...THEY DO.
EXACTLY
I DON'T WASTE MONEY, EITHER.
OTHER THAN TONIGHT, THAT IS.
JOEL.
Sigh
I'VE BEEN LORD JUDICIARY AND A MEMBER OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL FOR 20 YEARS.
DID YOU THINK THEY DIDN'T PAY ME?

IT'S A LOT OF MONEY.

HAVE YOU COME TO TRUST ME AGAIN...?

...YOU NEVER DID ANYTHING TO LOSE MY TRUST.

THOUGH WE COULDN'T BE FRIENDS.

. . . .

I CAN'T GET UP.

HELP ME, JOEL.

AH...YES, ARE YOU A..RIGHT?

. . . . . .!
WH-.
. .SORRY, BUT I REALLY DON'T THINK I CAN JUST BE YOUR FRIEND
I LOVE YOU, JOEL...!
WHA-...
clatter
OLIVIA
HELP! I KNOW YOU CAN HEAR ME LISZT! OLIVIA!!
MY MY.
WAS IT ADAM OR THE OTHER ONE THAT HIRED US?

SHO VING
Aren't they stunning?!
IF I LET GO, WILL YOU FORGIVE ME?
FOR WHAT?!
FOR LOVING YOU.
I DON'T NEED SOME LOVER!
YOU ARE CRUEL,
AND SO I'VE LOST MYSELF.
AT LEAST LET US GO BACK TO HOW WE WERE..

!
WE'LL GO BACK TO HOW WE WERE!
ALRIGHT! ALRIGHT ADAM!
OTHERWISE I WON'T LET GO...
SHIVER
SHOOT

ONLY BECAUSE YOU'RE CREEPY WHEN YOU'RE ACTING SERIOUS!
EH...
YOU DON'T NEED TO CORNER ME LIKE THIS.
I WANT THAT, TOO.

OLIVIER, YOU SHOULD HAVE WAITED A LITTLE LONGER.
Oh dear
HEY, ADAM.
DON'T HARASS OUR BOSS.
THUNK
This beauty is creepy.
Back off

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GOOD FOR YOU, ADAM.

THE BOSS SAT WITH YOU THE WHOLE TIME YOU WERE UNDER.

YOUR ASSISTANT ALREADY LEFT WE TOOK HIM HOME

IT'S ALMOST DAWN.

AH.. THANK YOU.

OLIVIER? YOU'RE HERE?

Is that a problem?

Eh?

WAIT, I WAS DRUGGED?

ARE YOU IN A POSITION TO BE SAYING THINGS LIKE THAT?

SHUT UP YOU MISSED THE POINT

AH

STOP CAUSING TROUBLE AND GET SOME SLEEP.

You pain.

YES, JOEL!

HEY PUT SOME CLOTHES ON.

TIME TO GO, ADAM.

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...MY, MY.

SORRY, HE'S QUITE SHY AS YOU CAN SEE.
HOW OLD ARE YOU, KING CHRIS?
HE'LL BE 10 THIS YEAR, RIGHT, CHRIS?

From the first time I saw you, you were a king.
NOW, LUKA, INTRODUCE YOURSELF

IS LUKA A BOY?

I was used to that question.

It happens a lot.

HAHA.

EVERYONE ASKS THAT. LUKA IS A FINE BOY, JUST LIKE YOU, YOUR MAJESTY.

IF ANYTHING HAPPENS TO ME, LUKA WILL BE TANSE'S NEXT KING.

LUKA WILL BE THE OTHER WING THAT KEEPS TANSE ALOFT SOMEDAY.

My big brother Louis always replies with that, too.

whisper

YES.

Those words are like ornamental feathers

My elder brother is a very kind person,
but I was told that he's actually very scary and so I have to make him like me.
...LIKE MY UNCLE, OUR CURRENT KING, ...LUKA'S HEALTH IS FRAGILE.
YOU'LL BE 11 THIS YEAR, RIGHT?
...YES, BROTHER.
They said I can't talk too much in case he thinks I'm smart.
They said that if I say I want to be king then terrible things will happen.
PLEASE GET ON WELL WITH HIM, KING CHRIS.
OF COURSE!
I'M REALLY HAPPY TO HAVE A NEW FRIEND.
My home is Tanse's Palace.

Everyone is worried that I'm turning into a bad boy.

Even though brother is definitely going to be the next King.

...HEY, LET'S GO TO THE GARDEN?

IT'S MORE FUN OUTSIDE

OR IS THIS BOOK REALLY INTERESTING?

DO YOU PREFER THE BOOK?

PLAY OUTSIDE?

...ONLY A YEAR.

YOU'RE OLDER THAN ME BUT I'M TALLER, HUH.

..... .....

WHAT'S IT ABOUT?
ARE THERE DRAGONS? PIRATES?
I'LL READ, TOO.
MONTAGUE BROUGHT ME LOADS OF BOOKS.
OH, MONTAGUE IS MY TEACHER...
UH.
THIS IS
...A BOOK ON 'MEDICAL HERBS'.

THEY SAID I'M NOT A 'DOCTOR' SO THERE'S NO POINT, BUT-
DO YOU WANT TO BE A DOCTOR?
...I JUST DON'T WANT TO WORRY EVERYONE.

I GET ILL A LOT SO,
I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO KNOW...

MEDICAL HERBS?
MEDICINE?
YEAH.

YOU'RE REALLY GREAT, LUKA.

IT WOULD BE TOUGH FOR PEOPLE IF ANYTHING HAPPENED TO US AFTER ALL.

YOU COULD BE KING ANYTIME.

Ahh

Shhh!

?

WELL YOU MIGHT BE A KING ONE DAY, TOO?

I WON'T!

PLEASE DON'T SAY THAT SO LOUD!

I WON'T EVER!

WHAT? THAT'S A WEIRD FACE!

THAT...

YOU CAN ONLY SAY THAT 'CAUSE YOU'RE ALREADY KING.

.....

'WHY'?
IF MY BROTHER WERE TO HEAR YOU...
THEN WHAT?
whisper

leans in
WHY?

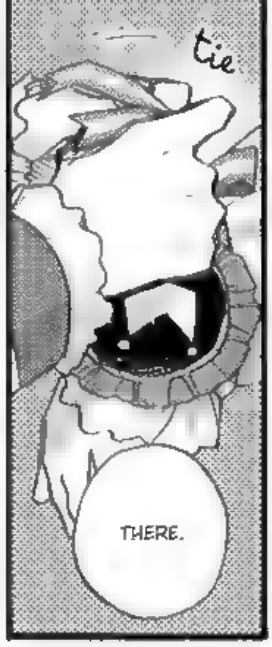
YOUR BROTHER SAID THAT TO YOU?.
THAT'S SCARY!
Definitely'

HE MIGHT TIE ME TO A GREAT BIG ROCK,
AND THROW ME IN THE ELIZA SEA...

sniff
IF BROTHER STARTS HATING ME, I...

..DON'T
DON'T TELL BROTHER.
..WHO SAID THAT?

NO,
BUT THAT'S WHAT THEY SAID. .
mumble


tie
THERE.

LUKA, HOLD OUT YOUR HAND.
?
rummage

IT'LL BE OK!
I'M ON YOUR SIDE!

IT MEANS 'SIGN OF PROTECTION'.
SO I'LL PROTECT YOU.
THIS GOLD AND BLUE RIBBON S MY MARK.

... ... !

LET'S GO SEE THE KENNELS? THEY HAVE PUPPIES.
IT'S REALLY NICE OUTSIDE.

COME ON, LUKA.

I'LL SHOW YOU THE GARDENS, TOO!

...OK!

THE 'ELIZA SEA'?

IT'S A LARGE BAY THAT TANGE'S CAPITAL LOOKS OUT ON.

YOU'VE NEVER SEEN THE SEA, HAVE YOU, MAJESTY?

WHY DID YOU ASK?

...WITH THE SEA.

IF SOMEONE TIES A WEIGHT TO YOU AND THROWS YOU IN, WILL YOU DIE?

WELL NOW, THAT'S A VERY SCARY QUESTION.

SO LORD LUKA-

NO, NO!

IT ABSOLUTELY WASN'T LUKA!

UNDERSTOOD.

It was Luka

WAS THAT IN ONE OF THE BOOKS MONTAGUE GAVE YOU?

NO, IT'S NOT THAT!

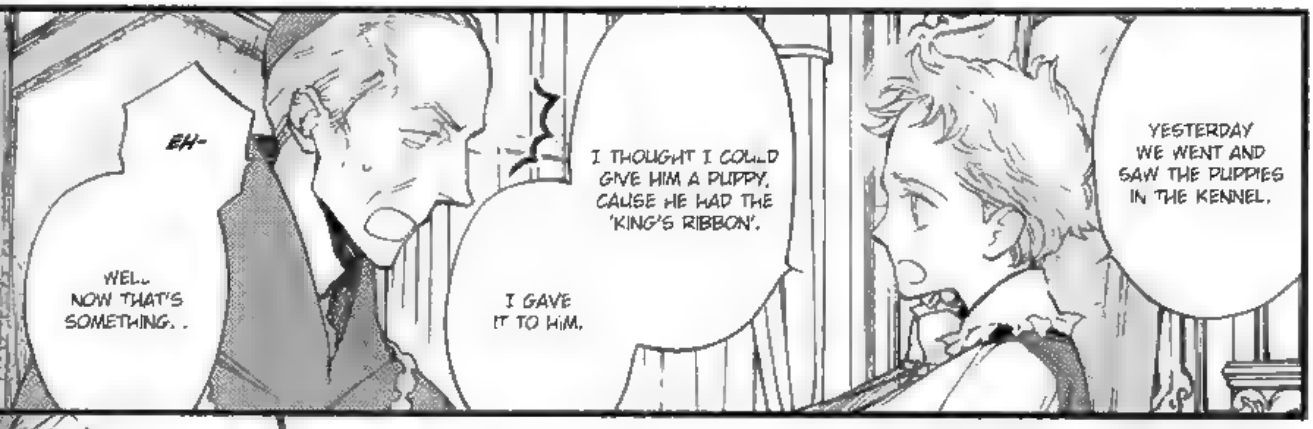
MY NEW FRIEND SAID..

AH

...I THINK THAT SOMEONE IS TELLING HIM LOTS OF HORRIBLE THINGS.

IT'S JUST THAT THIS FRIEND FLINCHES A LOT.

WHAT DO YOU THINK IS THE RIGHT THING TO DO, ROTZ?



ROTZ YOU HAVE A SCARY FACE BUT YOU'RE REALLY NICE.

I HEAR THAT A LOT.

Hahaha

EVERYDAY YOU BECOME MORE AND MORE KINGLY.

YOUR SIGNATURE HAS GOTTEN MUCH BETTER, TOO.

IT WILL.

...I GUESS.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

WE ATE BREAKFAST TOGETHER TODAY

REALLY HAPPY!

ARE YOU HAPPY?

AT HOME WE DON'T SEE EACH OTHER MUCH.

HE'S COME TO VISIT ME A LOT NOW WE'RE IN LORRAINE.

YEAH.

IT'S CROWN PRINCE LOUIS

OH

m glad!
IT WORKED!
LOOKS LIKE IT.
BUT... LIM...

THANK YOU, CHRIS!
WHEN I ASKED HIM HE SAID THAT THE RIBBON GUIDED HIM.
...!

I FELT BAD FOR HER BUT SHE BOTHERS PEOPLE A LOT.
...AFTER THAT HE TOOK THE NANNY WHO'S ALWAYS MEAN AWAY.

blush
THIS...
BROTHER SAID THAT THIS RIBBON IS FOR A PRINCESS WHEN THE KING 'PROPOSES' TO HER...

IT'S WHEN YOU ASK SOMEONE TO MARRY YOU!
BROTHER SAID I HAD TO GIVE IT BACK
MARRY!?
'MARRY' IS WHEN YOU LIVE IN THE SAME CASTLE AND MAKE BABIES TOGETHER, HUH.

'PROPOSES' WHAT?
?

EH.
...THIS IS FOR YOU TO GIVE TO THE GIRL YOU LIKE.
YOU HAVE TO GIVE IT TO A PRINCESS FROM ANOTHER COUNTRY.

WHEN I GAVE THE RIBBON TO MONTAGUE HE GOT REALLY FLAPPY.
HE SAID THAT BOYS CAN'T MAKE BABIES TOGETHER...
I wanted him to live with me

THEN THAT MEANS YOU CAN KEEP IT, LUKA.
LET'S GET MARRIED AND LIVE TOGETHER!
kiss

AND MARRY IS WHAT YOU DO WITH A GIRL!
IT'S IN THE LAWS!
Does actually hate that
.....!
.....!
I'M NOT A GIRL!

THEN I'LL GET MONTAGUE TO CHANGE THE 'LAWS'.

SMILE

IT'S OK! I'M THE KING!

...!

C'MON, LET'S GET MARRIED!

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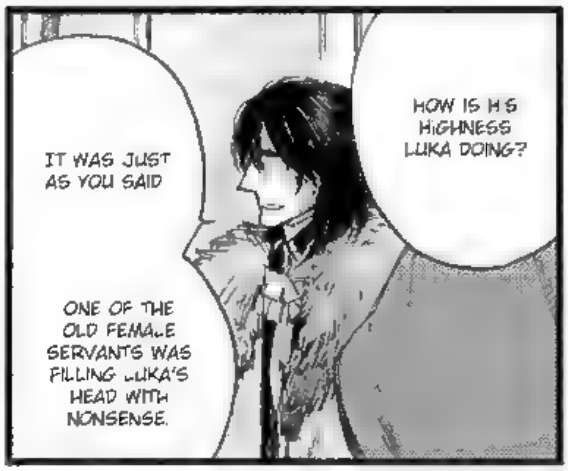
HOW IS HIS HIGHNESS LUKA DOING?
IT WAS JUST AS YOU SAID
ONE OF THE OLD FEMALE SERVANTS WAS FILLING LUKA'S HEAD WITH NONSENSE.

THEY LOOK LIKE THEY'RE HAVING FUN.
CARDINAL BRANDON.

That's called abuse of power

THANK YOU.
IT WOULD BE A PAIN IF LUKA HAD BELIEVED HER.
.. I'M GLAD TO HEAR IT
...I HAVE TO SAY,

IT SEEMS THAT SHE WASN'T REPORTING INFORMATION TO ANYONE.
I HAD HER FIRED AND SENT BACK TO TANSE IMMEDIATELY.

Hahaha
I COULDN'T AGREE MORE.
BUT THROWING COLD WATER ONTO CHILDREN'S FUN SHOULD BE A CRIMINAL OFFENCE.
THIS WASN'T EXACTLY WHAT I HAD IN MIND,

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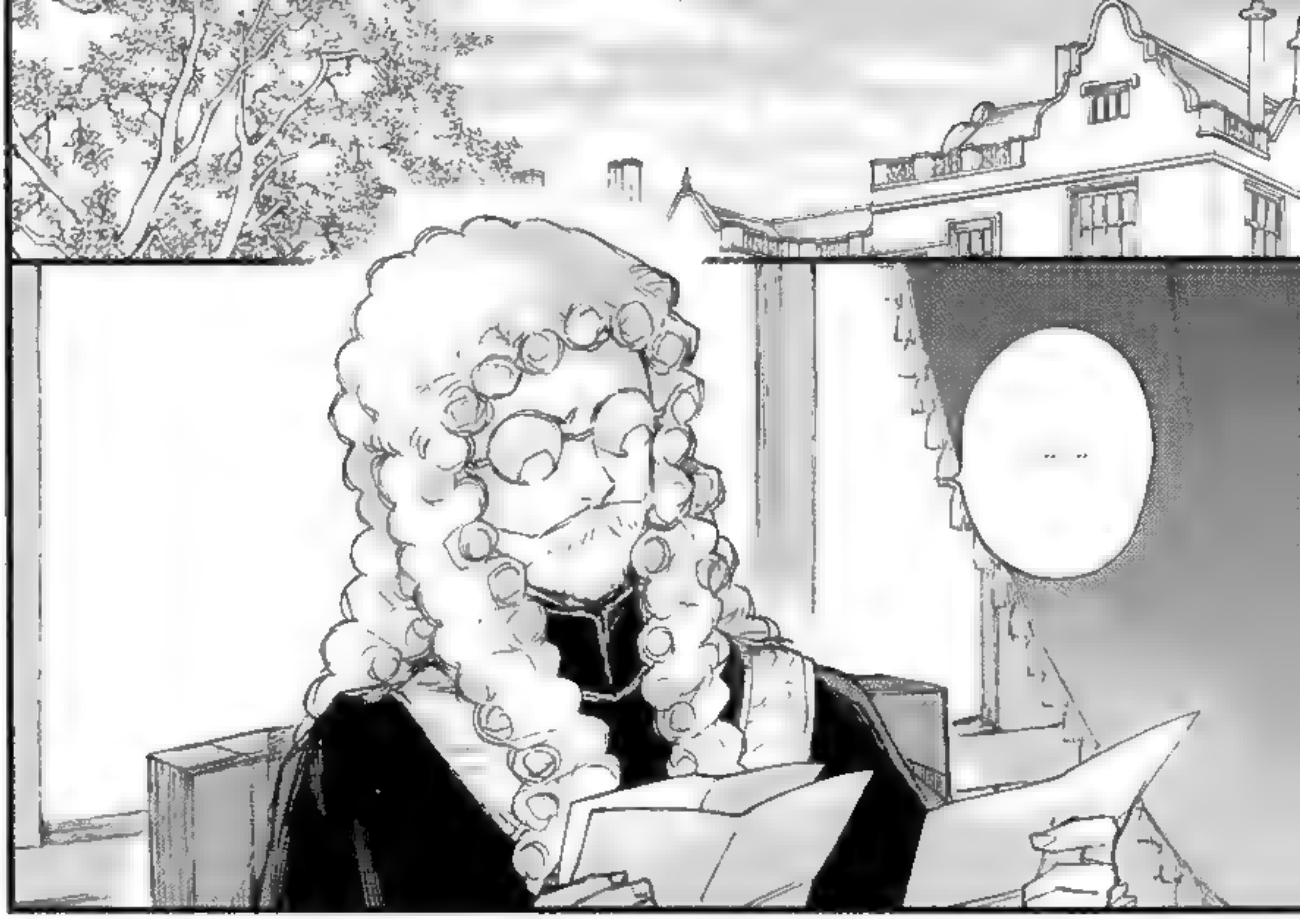

.. ..

EEP
LIAR
I ONLY WROTE ONE OF THEM OF MY OWN WILL~!
KICK
NOW, NOW, NO VIOLENCE IN THE PUBLIC OFFICES

EEP~
SHOVE
Y-YES IT WAS INDEED ME!
I.. I WAS THREATENED INTO IT...!

I SEE, THE HANDWRITING ON ALL OF THESE THREATENING LETTERS LOOKS THE SAME.
YOU WERE DEFINITELY THE ONE WHO WROTE THEM?

HOW MANY DID YOU WRITE IN TOTAL?
T...T...TO BOTH LORD MONTAGUE AND OTHER PROMINENT PERSONS, ABOUT 20 IN A MONTH...
PLEASE FORGIVE ME, I WILLINGLY WROTE TO BOTH YOU AND OTHER ARROGANT ARISTOCRATS, IT WAS NOT PERSONAL.

SO ONE LETTER YOU WROTE YOURSELF,
AND THE REST YOU WERE THREATENED INTO WRITING WITH THE COVER THAT YOU'D ALREADY SENT ONE AS A PRANK.

sigh
..AGREED
BEING THREATENED INTO WRITING THREATENING LETTERS, HOW RIDICULOUS.

WHY DID THEY AIM FOR YOU?
DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHO THEY MIGHT BE?
N. .NO, NONE AT ALL.
NO-ONE ELSE WAS INVOLVED, I SENT THE LETTERS MYSELF FROM MY HOME.

TAKE HIM TO THE PRISON.
LORD MONTAGUE WILL PASS JUDGEMENT ON HIM LATER.
YES, SIR.

SO IT WAS FROM THERE THAT THE LETTER'S PATH CAN BE TRACED.
CAN YOU LOOK INTO IT?
YES, SIR.

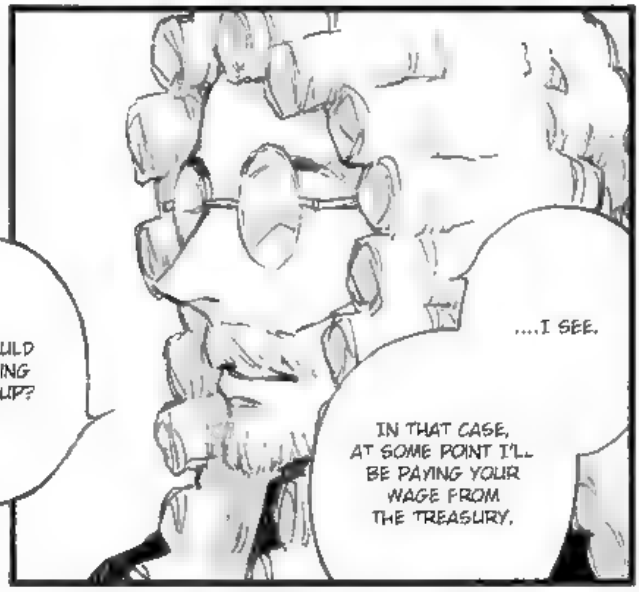
SIR.
LISZT, A WORD.

...IT'S ABOUT MY 'WASTE OF MONEY' FROM THE OTHER DAY.
I SOLD ONE OF MY MANSIONS IN THE CAPITAL TO FUND IT
IT SEEMS THAT A CERTAIN FOREIGNER BOUGHT IT UP IMMEDIATELY,
FOR EXACTLY THE AMOUNT THAT I SOLD IT FOR.
MY, THAT GOT AROUND QUICK.

WE WILL PROVE OURSELVES TO YOU WITH OUR OWN ABILITY.
NOT AT ALL, IT'S A MATTER OF CREDENCE.
YOU COULD HAVE JUST TOLD ME. I WOULD HAVE PREPARED SOMETHING.

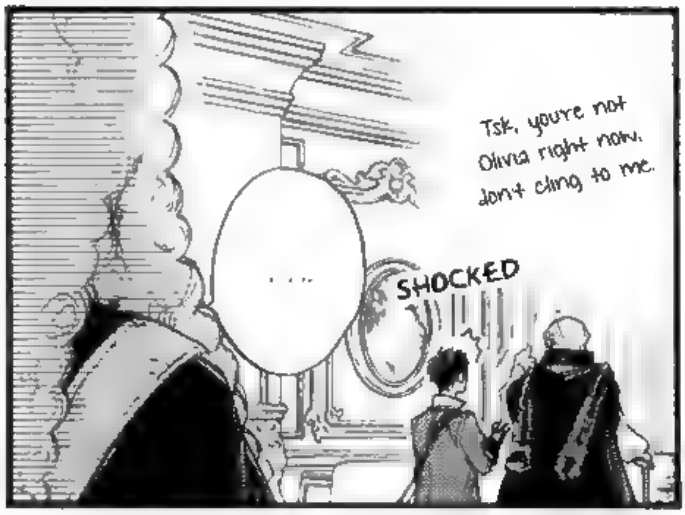
WE WERE LUCKY, THAT MANSION YOU SOLD WAS PERFECT.
WELL WE DIDN'T HAVE ANYWHERE TO LIVE.
YOU DO ENJOY BEATING AROUND THE BUSH.
SO IT WAS YOU.

WE'RE MOSTLY CALLED 'THE SOUTHERN BRIGADE'.
WHAT SHOULD I BE CALLING YOUR GROUP?


....I SEE.
IN THAT CASE, AT SOME POINT I'LL BE PAYING YOUR WAGE FROM THE TREASURY.

AH.. SO THAT'S WHY
YOUR EARNESTNESS LIVES UP TO THE RUMOURS.

AS LONG AS WE DON'T MESS UP WE'LL BE STAYING HERE SO,
'BRIGADE' SEEMS A BIT OFF
THINK OF SOMETHING.
OTHERWISE IT MAKES SIGNING THE BILLS DIFFICULT.


Tsk, you're not Olivia right now. Don't cling to me.
. . . .
SHOCKED

LET'S GO, OLIVIER.
HAVING A 'NAME' IS A BIT EMBARRASSING BUT WE'LL THINK OF SOMETHING.

I'VE KNOWN LISZT A LONG TIME.
HE HAS AN OFFICER'S HEART. HE'S A GOOD MAN.
WHAT A SUDDEN INFLUX OF PEOPLE.
I DO HOPE THAT THEY CAN BE RELIED UPON.

I'D ALWAYS THOUGHT THAT HE NEEDED A JOB THAT KEPT HIS FEET ON THE GROUND.
...IN OTHER WORDS,

HE'S A LITTLE BENT BUT I THINK YOU'LL COME TO UNDERSTAND HIM.
I'M GLAD TO INTRODUCE YOU, HOWEVER COMPLICATED THE MANNER.

IT WAS ENTERTAINING WASN'T IT? THEY'RE VERY POPULAR IN XEHANA.
THOUGH I NEVER THOUGHT THAT YOU REALLY WOULD SAVE ME.
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO CALLED THEM TO LORRAINE
THAT BANQUET WAS YOUR IDEA.

smile
smile
smile
smile
...WHY ARE YOU SMILING?
YOU REALLY TRUST THEM, AFTER ALL THAT?
....YOU'D BEEN DRUGGED. I DIDN'T HAVE A CHOICE.
WELL, NOT THAT THOSE ARE BAD IN FACT I QUITE LIKE THEM...
THERE HAVE BEEN MANY RUMOURS ABOUT LORD MONTAGUE WANTING TO KEEP ME TO HIMSELF

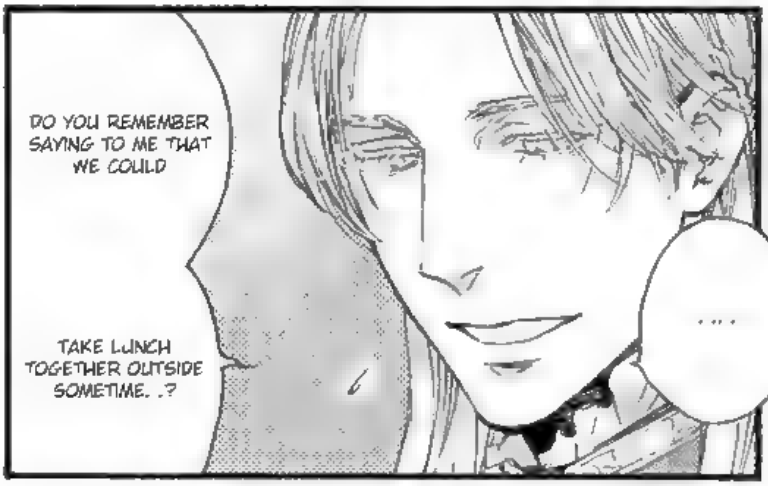
BUT NOW EVERYONE IS SAYING THAT I APPEAR TO BE STEPPING OUT WITH LORD MONTAGUE'S NEPHEW, JOEL!
PFFFFT!!
JUST LIKE THE ACT WE PUT ON FOR THE MCTODDS WHEN WE ARRESTED THEM, REMEMBER?
THEN AT THE BANQUET YOU TOOK THE WINNING BID!
IT'S ONLY NATURAL THAT PEOPLE'S MINDS WOULD. .
THIS IS RIDICULOUS! WHY ARE THEY SPOUTING SUCH NONSENSE!?
I KNEW THIS WOULD COME BACK TO BITE ME!!
YES, ABOUT THAT.

Y...you...
wobble
BA-M
I DO HAVE A PLAN!
I WANT TO CONFIRM THE IMPRESSION THAT YOU AND JOE. ARE SEPARATE PEOPLE.
BECAUSE I STRONGLY CONFIRMED EVERYTHING WHENEVER I WAS ASKED ABOUT IT!
?
WHY WOULD I DISGUISE MYSELF WHEN TRYING TO EARN MONEY?
I'M NOT YOU, AND I HAD MY FACE ON FULL DISPLAY.
...I THOUGHT THAT OUTRAGEOUS GET-UP YOU WERE WEARING AT THE BANQUET WAS A DISGUISE?
AT THE SAME TIME LESSENING THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO TRY TO WOO ME. TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE.
THIS WILL BECOME ANOTHER WAY THAT I CAN PROTECT YOU.

BESIDES, WASN'T I HANDSOME?
THAT'S RIGHT.. THIS IS WHAT YOU'RE LIKE..
YOU WERE BORN WITHOUT SHAME...

IT'S ALMOST NOON, BY THE WAY.
IT'S LUNCHTIME.
HUH?

I CAN'T THINK OF SOMEONE WHO NEEDS MONEY SO THEY WOULD AUCTIONS THEMSELVES OFF AS SANE.
sigh
YOU HAD NO IDEA WHAT MIGHT HAVE HAPPENED..


DO YOU REMEMBER SAYING TO ME THAT WE COULD
TAKE LUNCH TOGETHER OUTSIDE SOMETIME..?
....

shift
OH, IT'S THAT TIME ALREADY
...WHAT? DID YOU HAVE PLANS?

THE WEATHER IS GOOD TODAY.
SO WE COULD EAT IN THE INNER GARDEN. .?
.. .....?
AFTER THAT WE HAD OUR FALLING OUT,
AND WE NEVER GOT THE CHANCE.
....
I REMEMBER...
BUT WHY ARE YOU BEING SO FIDGETY ABOUT IT?
EH-
I WAS FIDGETING?
I...WELL, I WAS REALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO IT.
I WAS SO HAPPY THAT YOU MADE THAT PROMISE WITH ME.

WHAT DO YOU SAY? I COULD COLLECT SOMETHING FROM THE DINING HALL?

yet inviting me to lunch turns him into a shrinking violet?
A moment ago he was full of confidence,

I WAS WORRIED THAT YOU MIGHT TURN ME DOWN...
. . . .

tremble
Y-
YOU REALLY DON'T WANT TO ANYMORE ..
DON'T JUMP TO CONCLUSIONS.

WHY DO WE HAVE TO EAT HERE AT THE OFFICE?
WE CAN'T HAVE ANY WINE, THERE'S ALWAYS PEOPLE WATCHING
AND THE FOOD FROM THE DINING HALL IS OUT OF THE QUESTION.

NO, THANK YOU.

CLATTER

YANK

'MONTAGUE', REMEMBER?

AT LEAST YOU SHOULD MAKE THE DISTINCTION.

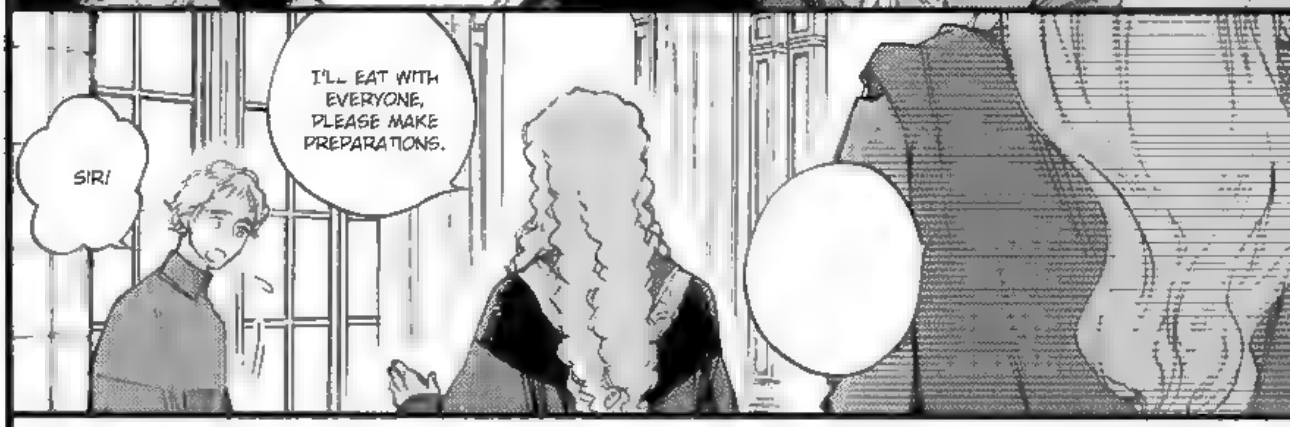
JOE .

Hmph.

I STILL HAVEN'T GIVEN UP ON US BEING FRIENDS.

SO AS I WILL INVITE YOU, AS MY FRIEND.

HAHAHA
IT IS INDEED.
A SHAME WE CANNOT UNDERSTAND EACH OTHER, BUT THERE'S NO HELPING IT.
...THAT'S CRUEL, KNOWING MY MOTIVES AS YOU DO.


SIR!
I'LL EAT WITH EVERYONE, PLEASE MAKE PREPARATIONS.

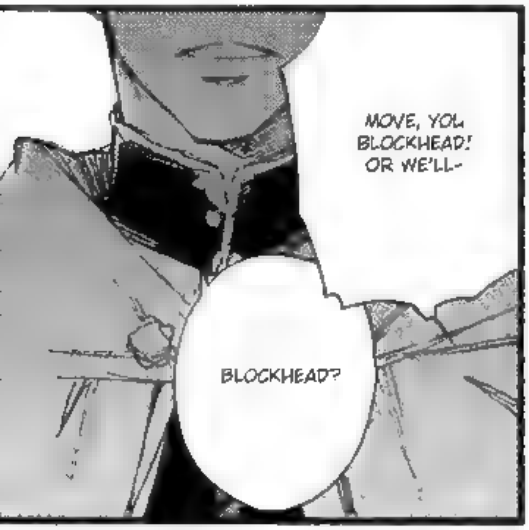
Such happiness could almost turn me from the path of love
Love is such a series of surprises

touched
what a thing,
to feel such happiness at being desired as a friend

Smash
WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
RUN!
A BISHOP!

YOU'RE THE HERETICS, INVADING OUR COUNTRY-
LET'S HIT THE STREET AND TAKE OFF THE ROBES.

THE GODDESS' STATUE!
THOSE ROBES! THE HERETICS! THE HERETICS DESTROYED THE GODDESS' STATUE!


MOVE, YOU BLOCKHEAD! OR WE'LL-
BLOCKHEAD?

Wham!
!

THE HERETICS RAN AWAY!
WHAT'S ALL THIS, THEN, RUFFIANS?
WHICH WAY DID THEY GO?!
PLEASE STAY BACK

LOOKS LIKE SOMEONE'S AFTER THEM.
AND THEY'RE WEARING HERETIC'S ROBES.

GLARE
OR ELSE WHAT?

WE DON'T HAVE TIME FOR THEM!
WHAT ARE YOU BLATHERING ABOUT!?
SHOULD WE LET THEM RUN?
NO, WE'LL HAND THEM OVER TO BASIL.
THEY'LL MAKE A GOOD GIFT

slice
MOVE YOU BASTARD-
TO TRY AND PASS THROUGH AN ALLEYWAY LIKE THIS.
PATHETIC BEGINNER, YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW HOW TO POSITION YOURSELF
THUD
WHAP
WAH!
THUD
BLURGH
WHA-.
GUGHK.

THANK YOU.

Whump

YOU'RE PRETTY RELIABLE FOR A SERVANT GIL.

MY, YOU REALLY HELPED US WITH YOUR TIMELY ACTIONS.

FOR PRINCE FREDAUX HIMSELF TO CAPTURE THE CRIMINALS..

?

I'LL GIVE YOU A REWARD PET LATER.

!?

Who?

YES, THERE SEEMS TO BE A LOT OF THAT LATELY

I'M JUST GRATEFUL THAT YOU WEREN'T INJURED IN ANY WAY.

THEY DESTROYED THE GODDESS' STATUE AND LIT A FIRE.

INDEED, WE NEED TO IMPOSE STRICT CONTROL TO UPHOLD PUBLIC ORDER.

MY SUPERIOR, LORD MONTAGUE, WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND HIS GRATITUDE TO YOU.

...INDEED.

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CLATTER
LORD MONTAGUE, PRINCE FREDALX IS HERE.
AH, THANK YOU.
IT'S BEEN SOME TIME SINCE WE MET AT THE EVENING PARTY, PRINCE FREDALX
whisper
PLEASE TELL HIM EXACTLY WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU.
HE DOES NOT UNDERSTAND THIS CRISIS AS WELL AS WE OF THE CHURCH.
...IT HAS INDEED, LORD MONTAGUE.

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PLEASE, TAKE A SEAT.
I WAS TOLD YOU BROUGHT THE MEN YOU CAPTURED HERE YOURSELVES?
OH THANK YOU. .
HAVE YOU ACCUSTOMED TO LORRAINE, PRINCE FREDALIX?
YES, THE TOWNS IN THE MOUNTAINS HAVE SUCH CLEAN AIR AND PURE WATER.
I'D LIKE TO STAY AS LONG AS I CAN.
...AH, NOT WINE BUT TEA.

YOU ONLY ATTENDED THE ONE EVENING PARTY, LORD MONTAGUE?

I'VE ATTENDED MANY SINCE BUT NOT SEEN YOU.

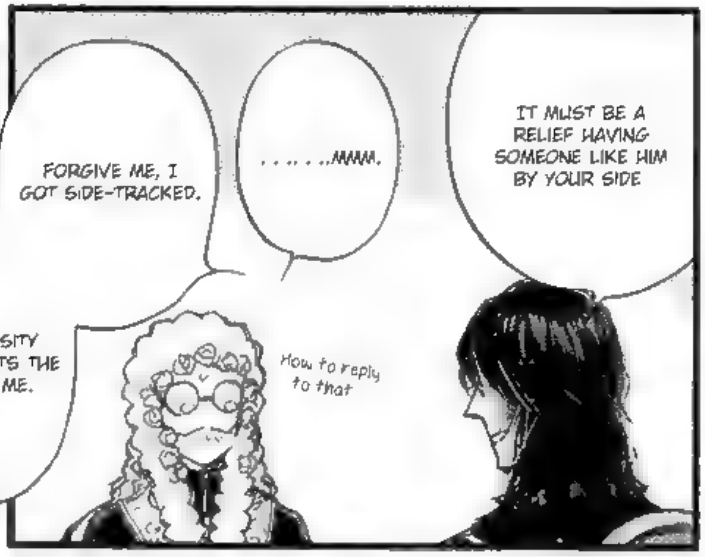
clack

...
..VERY WELL

HAD YOU NOT YET BEEN INTRODUCED?
I TEND TO ENJOY PARTIES AND THE LIKE BUT I NEVER SEE HIM THERE.
HE'S MUCH MORE DILIGENT THAN HE'S PAINTED AS.
EH?

SO THAT IS THE FAMOUS VISCOUNT CANNING?
I THOUGHT I MIGHT MEET HIM AT ONE OF THE EVENING PARTIES.

LIKE EARLIER, STICKING MY NOSE INTO EVERYTHING.
MY CURIOSITY ALWAYS GETS THE BEST OF ME.


FORGIVE ME, I GOT SIDE-TRACKED.
.....MMM.
How to reply to that
IT MUST BE A RELIEF HAVING SOMEONE LIKE HIM BY YOUR SIDE

THERE DON'T SEEM TO BE ANY VIGILANTE GROUPS BEING FORMED?

IN TANSE THE SOLDIERS WALK THE STREETS AS PROTECTION.

IF THERE WERE A LARGE DISRUPTION THE PALACE WOULD SEND OUT TROOPS.

BUT THEY DO NOT MAKE IT IN TIME ..

I'M GRATEFUL YOU WEREN'T HURT.

THE CITY HAS BEEN DANGEROUS LATELY.. I CANNOT RECOMMEND WALKING ANYWHERE.

INDEED, BUT THERE'S SO MUCH TO SEE

A 'HERETICAL UPRISING'.

THE TIMES ARE INDEED CHANGING.

LORRAINE HAS AGAIN BECOME A CHECKERBOARD OF BELIEF IN THE GODDESS.

THERE WAS A LARGE BACKLASH WHEN THE CARDINAL WAS ACCEPTED INTO THE PRIVY COUNCIL.

WE ARE A STUBBORN PEOPLE.

A RELIGION FROM A FOREIGN COUNTRY FINDS NO FERTILE SOIL WITH US.

I BELIEVE THAT TANSE, WHILE RESPECTING THE GODDESS, IS POLYTHEISTIC?

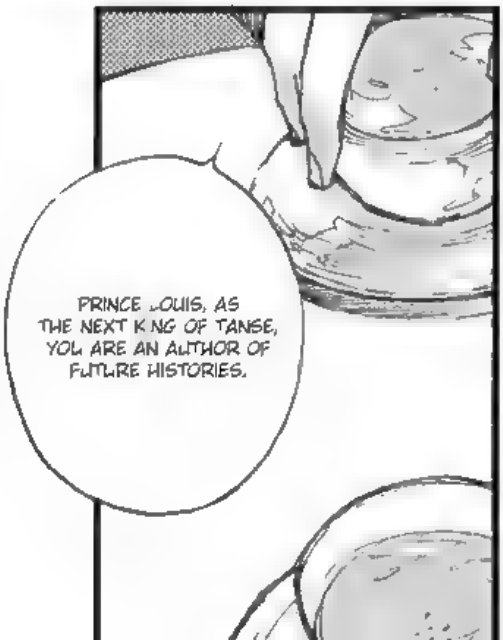
OUR NATIVE MALE GODS, EVEN ANIMAL GODS, EVERYONE WORSHIPS DIFFERENTLY.

LORRAINE MAY BE A COUNTRY PROTECTED BY MOUNTAINS, BUT IT ALSO NEEDS CONNECTIONS TO OTHER COUNTRIES.
TO BE CAUGHT BETWEEN TANSE AND XEHANA AS IT IS...

HAHAHA
WE CERTAINLY DON'T GET ALONG WITH THE HAUGHTY XEHANA.
THE XEHANNIAN CARDINAL IN TANSE IS LIKE A VASE WITHOUT FLOWERS.

HAHA
KING CHRIS IS STILL YOUNG AFTER ALL.
I VERY MUCH DOUBT LORRAINE WILL CRUMBLE IN MY LIFETIME.

WE ARE STILL SAVAGES.
WE CANNOT HELP BUT TURN OUR EYES TO YOU.
IS THAT ALSO CURIOSITY?


PRINCE LOUIS, AS THE NEXT KING OF TANSE, YOU ARE AN AUTHOR OF FUTURE HISTORIES.

I WOULD LIKE TO HEAR MORE ABOUT THE HAPPENINGS OF THE OTHER COUNTRIES.
PEOPLE WITH BROAD AND FLEXIBLE MINDS ARE RARE IN LORRAINE.

.....UM.
stare

OH.
I WAS TOLD TO TALK WITH YOU AND CANNOT THINK OF A SINGLE SUBJECT.
SORRY, I JUST...
CAN I HELP YOU?

Uh.
INDEED?
THE STORY OF PRINCE FREDAUX'S SERVANT IS RATHER FAMOUS IN TANSE.

Smile
I WONDER, WERE YOUR ANCESTORS FROM THE SOUTHERN COUNTRIES?
SUCH GORGEOUS RED HAIR IS RARE IN TANSE.

I WON'T ASK AGAIN.
WHAT FOODS DO YOU LIKE?

IT'S NOT A VERY PLEASANT STORY.
LET ME JUST SAY THAT I USED TO BE A SLAVE...
OH, I DO BEG YOUR PARDON.

I HAD ONE ONCE IN XEHANA.
THERE ARE MANY WHO SPEND VAST MONIES ON RARE FOODS IN XEHANA.
YES, XEHANA'S GOURMANDS ARE QUITE FAMOUS.

IS TANSE ABLE TO GROW THEM?
NO.. I HAVEN'T HAD ONE IN A LONG TIME
I'M SURPRISED YOU KNEW OF THEM.

He retreated to an extremely safe question
M...MANGOS.
AH, THEY ARE INDEED DELIGHTFUL

THEN ADD COLD SUGARED WATER, AND REVERENTIALLY A MALE SERVANT SPRINKLES WHITE POWDER FROM A GOLD CONTAINER ON TOP.
SPEAKING OF GOURMAND, HAVE YOU HEARD OF THIS?
YOU TAKE VARIOUS FRUITS, SLICE THEM AND PLACE THEM IN A BEAUTIFUL GLASS CONTAINER.
THE WHITE POWDER IS CALLED BAKING SODA. IT'S MADE IN THE BEER DISTILLERIES.
THEN THE WATER BUBBLES LIKE IT'S BOILING!
!
...?

OF COURSE! THAT FAMILY MAKES IT WITH THAT AND OTHER RARE FRUITS FROM THE SOUTH.
W. WOULD THAT WORK WITH MANGO, TOO?
THEY USE PINEAPPLES AND LYCHEE, TOO

IT'S A DESSERT THAT THE NOBLE FAMILY WITH DISTILLERIES BRINGS OUT AT BANQUETS.
IT'S ALSO DELICIOUS WITH CHAMPAGNE BUT THIS WAY DELIGHTS THE CHILDREN, TOO.

AH.
OH DEAR, I SEEM TO BE MISSTEPPING CONSTANTLY.
SIGH...
On a sigh
.....

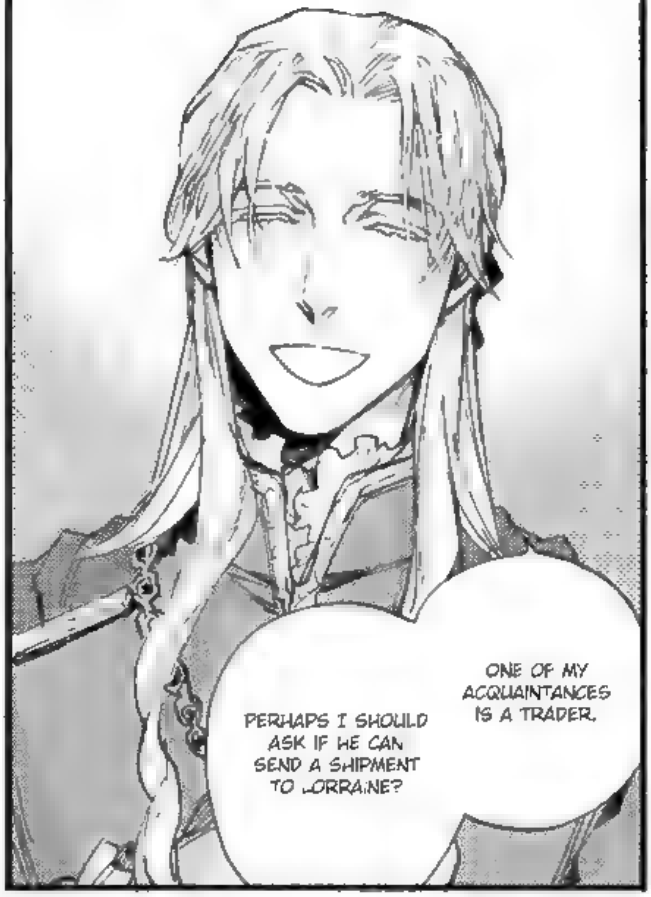
NO, I'M SURE TANSE ALSO HAS MANY DELICIOUS FOODS.
NOT AT ALL, XEHANNIANS ARE INDEED GOURMETS.

PLEASE FORGIVE ME
I DIDN'T MEAN TO UPSET YOU.
I'VE NOT THOUGHT OF MY HOMETOWN IN A LONG TIME,
BUT I DO REMEMBER THE TASTE OF MANGO.

This man
has the typical Tanseravers on of his people
TANSE S SUCH A TOUGH-MEAT COUNTRY.
I'M AFRAID EVEN F YOU TOLD THEM TO ME, I WOULDN'T AGREE.
The food is indeed quite tough.
No.
Sorry, did I insult you?
PRINCE LOUIS.
YOU SEEM TO BE HAVING FUN.
CLATTER

HOW UNUSUAL OF YOU.
DID YOU BOTH GET ALONG?
WE SIMPLY TALKED PLEASANTRIES.

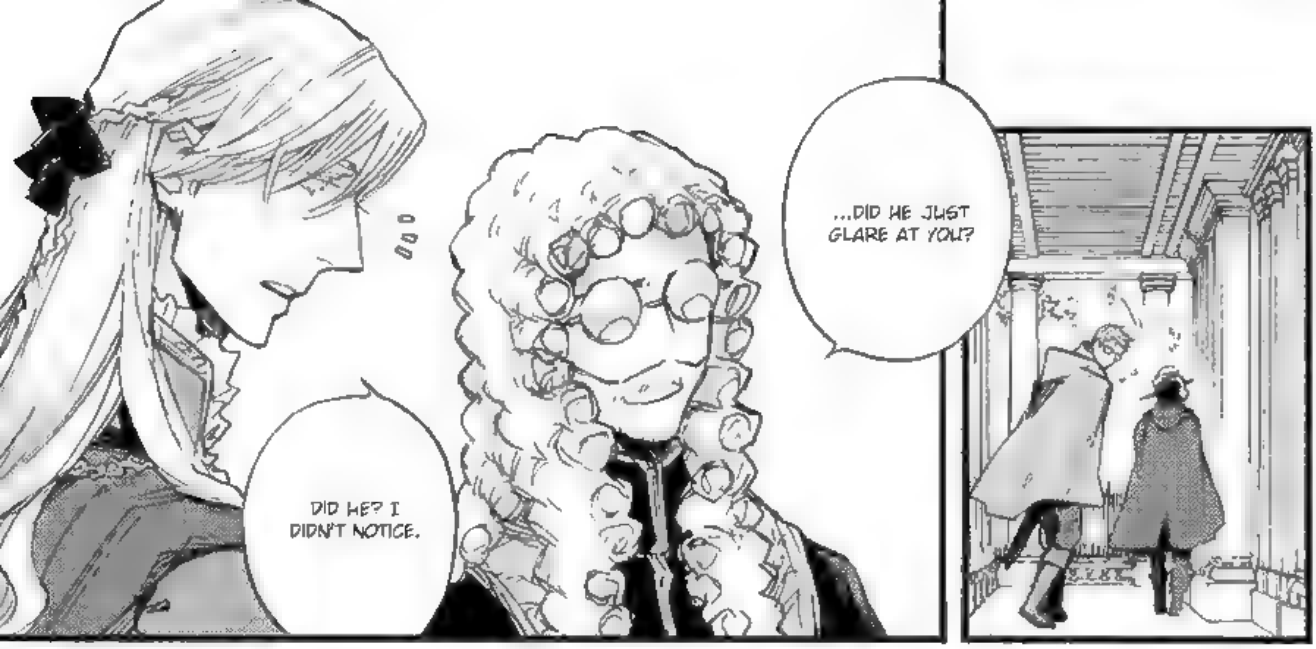
I ASKED YOUR SERVANT ABOUT HIS FAVOURITE FOOD
IT'S BEEN SO LONG SINCE ANYONE KNEW WHAT A MANGO IS, IT'S MADE ME CRAVE FOR ONE.
...INDEED?
TWITCH
FLINCH


ONE OF MY ACQUAINTANCES IS A TRADER.
PERHAPS I SHOULD ASK IF HE CAN SEND A SHIPMENT TO LORRAINE?

THAT'S THE NAME OF A SOUTHERN FRUIT, IS IT?
I DON'T RECALL HEARING IT. HAVE YOU EVER TOLD ME OF YOUR LIKES BEFORE?
UH. UH, NO.

NO, NO, DON'T TROUBLE YOURSELF
LET'S TAKE OUR LEAVE, GIL.
Y..YES.

UNTIL NEXT TIME, LORD MONTAGUE
glare


...DID HE JUST GLARE AT YOU?
DID HE? I DIDN'T NOTICE.

THE TANGE ARE ALWAYS L KE THAT.
THOUGH THE SERVANT WAS A PLEASANT MAN.
YOU PROBABLY SAID SOMETHING RUDE.
IT S YOU, AFTER ALL.

SLAM
AH...UM, PRINCE LOUIS, YOUR ROBE-

I DON'T LIKE IT!
WHUMP!

WHAP
MGHPH

TH ..THAT WASN'T MY INTENTION.
PUSH
WHAT WAS THAT ABOUT!?
HAVE YOU BEEN HIDING YOUR LIKES FROM ME?!
KEEPING SECRETS FROM ME!?

YOU'VE NEVER ONCE TALKED ABOUT THINGS LIKE THAT WITH ME.
FOR A MASTER NOT TO KNOW HIS CONFIDANT'S FAVOURITE THINGS!
thud

HE JUST ASKED WHAT I LIKED TO EAT
IT WAS THE SAME AS DISCUSSING THE WEATHER.
HMMM.

Ahh

I'LL SHOW HIM. THE TANSE EMPIRE CAN GET YOU ONE FOR EVERY MEAL!

AND FOR HIM TO IMPLY IT WAS A FRUIT FROM YOUR HOMETOWN THAT TANSE COULDN'T POSSIBLY GET?!

He always loses his temper when it comes to my hometown

WHACK

EXACTLY!

I DON'T DOUBT THAT YOU COULD.

I'VE SHOWN YOU MY POWER MANY TIMES.

I KNOW MY INFLUENCE BETTER THAN ANYONE!

WHEN THERE'S SOMETHING THAT'S BEYOND ME IT REALLY GETS MY BACK UP!
roll
LIKE NOT CATCHING SOMETHING AS SMALL AS THIS.
...

THUNK
...uhm.
!
creak

PLEASE FORGIVE THIS TRANSGRESSION.

...ARE YOU NOT UNCOMFORTABLE?

AH?

YOUR DOUBLET SHALL I REMOVE IT?

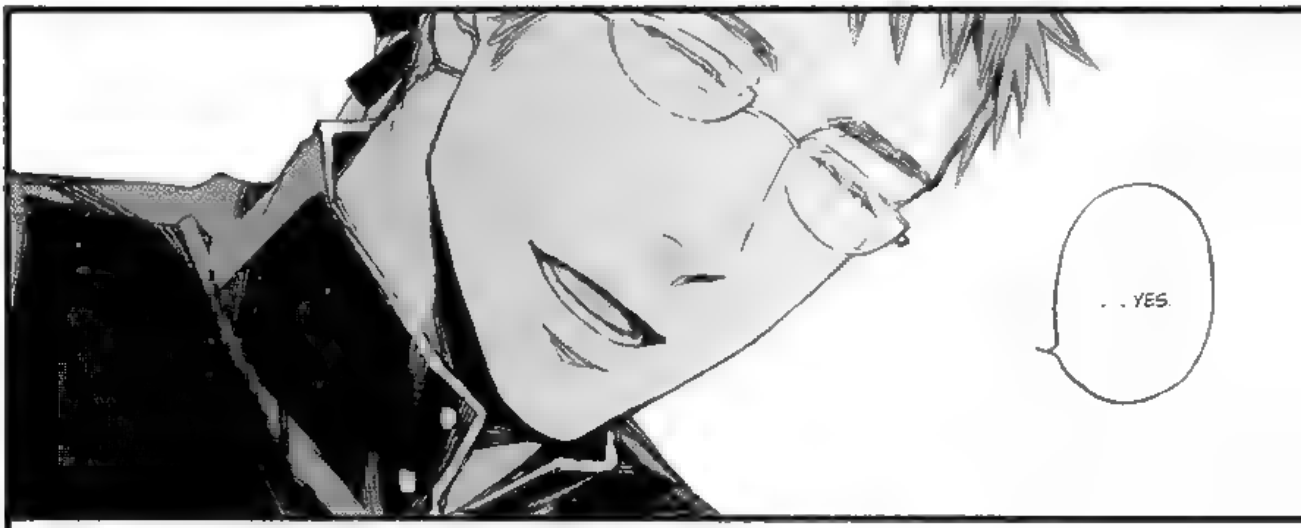
...AH.

YES, YOU MAY.

EXCUSE ME

... ...

....YOU MIGHT AS WELL TAKE IT ALL OFF.
YOU WANT TO RESTORE MY MOOD, RIGHT?


. . YES.

WHY ARE YOU SMILING!? I'M ANGRY!
MY APOLOGIES.
KISS
. . . . .
THEN I SHALL TAKE THE TIME UNTIL THE DINNER PARTY THIS EVENING.
I DON'T CARE ABOUT THE PARTY!
Honestly
Is it so bad to be happy ?

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WHAT, AM I NOT ENOUGH FOR YOU?
I WOULD NEVER SAY SUCH A THING.

HE'S FAMOUS AMONG THE NOBLE WOMEN, YOU KNOW.
GIGGLE
HIS LAST MASTER WASN'T THE ONLY ONE WHO LIKED TO BRAG ABOUT HIM.

HEY, FUTURE KING.
WOULD YOU PLEASE CALL HIM TO BED, TOO?

Once upon a time some rude women said thus:

I didn't listen to any naysayers and made Gil my personal manservant.
This happened when he had gained a firm grasp of how to meet my every need.
HEY, GIL
twitch
YOU HEARD THEM.
GIGGLE
..
IT SEEMS SHE INDULGED IN SWEET SINNING QUITE A LOT.
SHE KEPT QUIET IN FRONT OF HER HUSBAND OF COURSE.
HIS PREVIOUS MASTER'S WIFE LIKED TO SING HIS PRAISES, TOO.

Gil never refuses.
Absolute, wordless obedience is all well and good.
.. YES, PRINCE LOUIS.
but a stone-hearted doll could never be my closest confidant.
. . ..
ENTERTAIN THE LADIES.
TAKE OFF YOUR CLOTHES AND GET OVER HERE.

That was my thought when I made that blunt approach.
Also, I didn't want to get bored of the man I'd finally got my hands on so soon.
giggle
But I never
would have thought we'd end up like this...
creak
creak
creak
creak
han
AHH
KHN
NGH

creak
hah
creak
creak
HAH
AH
AH
AHH
creak
AH GHK
creak
creak
creak
HAH!
HAH
G-IL.

I'M SOBER RIGHT NOW
DON'T JUST SHOVE STRAIGHT IN ..!
I THOUGHT MY GUTS WERE GOING TO COME OUT MY MOUTH.
YOU USUALLY ENJOY IT, SO I
. APOLOGIES.
I DON'T REMEMBER THAT...
AH
CREAK
I WAS RASH,
---!
TO ATTEMPT IT WHILE YOU ARE SOBER...
MN
. GIL.
S l i d e

haah
FROM THE FRONT, SO I CAN SEE YOU.
I WANT TO MAKE SURE IT'S YOU.
------
ARE YOU UNEASY?
CREAK
THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT. .
...LOOK ONLY AT ME.
. .NGH
Press

!
WIGGLE
SIGH
. .DAMN, YOU JUST SLIDE RIGHT IN.
HOW CAN SOMETHING THIS LONG AND THICK GO INTO A MAN. .?
WHAT WERE THEY THINKING WHEN THEY MADE HUMANS?
CREAK
SHOVE
...YOU REALLY DO
AH!
ENJOY VULGARITY .!
creak
creak
creak
creak
creak
creak
HAAH
HAH
AH
AH
AH

creak
AH
HAH
AH
creak
creak
creak
creak
NGH
NGHH
creak
creak
creak
GIL .
creak
creak
AH
HHN
---

MNPH
press
MN...MN
Only during this does your high class go to waste
Messy and pleading with me
stroke
MN!!
gasp
slick slick
KHN
creak
AH
creak
creak
creak
HAH

stroke
STOP PLAYING WITH ME.
LET ME COME..
YOU'RE VERY IMPATIENT, AREN'T YOU.
ENDURING A WHILE MAKES THE PLEASURE GREATER, DOESN'T IT?
..!
I'M ALMOST THERE!
stroke stroke stroke
Pff
...

GIL . DON'T TEASE ME.
YOU CAN USE ME TO COME AS YOU LIKE AFTER...
PULL
...AS YOU WISH.
NGH!
AH
creak
AH. AH!
AH
creak
creak
creak
creak
AH
AH
AH

creak
splunk
creak
AH
splunk
.. AH
creak
NUH
AH
AH
-----!
SLUMP
AH
creak
creak
AH
AH
creak
AH
twitch
twitch
NGH
I .
I'M
creak
. YOU LL
WAIT FOR ME.
REMEMBER..
STILL
creak
creak
COMING...

creak
creak
creak
AT
LEAST
GO SLOW...
creak
creak
HAH
AH
AH
why
creak
NH
creak
does this man pretend at trying to capture my heart like this?
creak
.. HAH
Shake
NH
GL
LIKE THAT..
creak

...HONESTLY
WHY, WHEN IT ALWAYS MAKES YOUR MOOD SO POOR, DO YOU INSIST?

IT'S A WASTE TO FINALLY BED A MAN AND NOT HAVE HIM RELEASE!
WAIT, ARE YOU SAYING I DO THE SAME THING TO YOU WHEN I'M DRUNK TOO?!
AH...
Well

I'LL ALLOW IT
INSIDE ME ..

Rather be ated

WHAT DO I SAY TO YOU, IN THE MEMORIES THE DRINK HAS TAKEN?

ON SECOND THOUGHT DON'T TELL ME!

...DO YOU REMEMBER?

THE FIRST TIME WE KISSED, YOU WERE WITH A WOMAN,

AND SO WAS I.

RECRUITING!
WE ARE LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS TO HELP REVITALIZE OUR GROUP!
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IF OUR GAZES HADN'T MET IN THAT MOMENT,
WE PROBABLY WOULDN'T BE LIKE THIS NOW.
THE LOOKS ON THOSE WOMEN'S FACES WERE A PICTURE!
CHUCKLE
back then
the only thought I had
THAT'S TRUE.
was whether or not I should kill you there and then
I'M HUNGRY, GET ME SOMETHING.
Y...YOU WANT TO GO AGAIN?!
THEN WE CAN HAVE ANOTHER ROUND AND A GOOD LONG SLEEP.
YES.

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HMMM....

EVER SINCE WE CAME TO LORRAINE,

I FEEL LIKE MY HEALTH HAS REALLY IMPROVED ..

I'M SURE IT HAS.

YOU'VE STOPPED PARTYING ALL NIGHT. INSTEAD YOU SLEEP PROPERLY AND WAKE UP EARLY YOU HAVE A PROPER ROUTINE NOW.

I'M PRETTY SURPRISED YOU'RE DOING YOUR JOB SO DILIGENTLY.

twist twist

YOU USED TO SLEEP LIKE THE DEAD BUT NOW YOU WAKE UP ON YOUR OWN..

DOES PICKING UP LORD MONTAGUE EVERY MORNING BRING YOU THAT MUCH JOY?

YES.

WHICH NATURALLY MEANS I WANT TO MAKE SURE LORD MONTAGUE'S WISHES BECOME LAW.
THAT'S..
clatter
I HAD NO INTEREST IN POLITICS..

yawn
ORIGINALLY I HAD PLANNED ON PLAYING AROUND DOING A HALF-HEARTED JOB AND THEN JUST RETURNING HOME MIDWAY
YET NOW I TRULY WANT TO SEE THE FUTURE OF THIS COUNTRY WITH MY OWN EYES.

FOR SOME REASON MY WIFE AND SON ADORE YOU.
THEY'D JUMP AT THE CHANCE TO MOVE HERE AND WORK FOR YOU...
WHAT DO YOU MEAN 'FOR SOME REASON'?! BECAUSE OF MY BEAUTY OF COURSE!
IT'LL BE NICE TO HAVE MORE PEOPLE IN THE MANSION.
THANK YOU.
put on your trousers

ALTHOUGH THEY MIGHT FIND LORRAINE TO BE A RURAL, BORING PLACE.
OH, NO,
DON'T WORRY ABOUT THAT

PAUL, IF YOU WISH TO KEEP WORKING FOR ME THEN THINK ABOUT CALLING YOUR FAMILY TO MOVE HERE FROM XEHANA.
I THINK THIS JOB IS GOING TO BE A LONG ONE.
AH...

Mmm, what great weather
In Xehana he was always so tense, keeping constant watch for other nobles trying to tie him into a marriage contract
To see him living away from those tangled fetters

PAUL, IT'S SO NICE TODAY IT'S A LITTLE TOO WARM.
INDEED, THEN PERHAPS TYING IT ALL BACK.
sigh
It might be for the best that Lord Montague s a man

YOU LOOK RATHER LONG IN THE FACE TODAY.
. . .?
I'M GOING TO THE PALACE TODAY.

I TAKE IT YOU DON'T MEAN THAT IN A GOOD WAY?
YOU DON'T GET ALONG.
. . . . .
THE KING'S UNCLE HAS RETURNED FROM HIS PLEASURE TRIP OF THE CONTINENT.
HE'S A RATHER ERRATIC PERSON.

OH
TO THINK LORRAINE ALSO HAS SUCH DEVIL-MAY-CARE CHARACTERS.
TO HEAR THAT HE'S COME BACK ACTING LIKE BUTTER WOULDN'T MELT GIVES ME A HEADACHE...

IT'S NOTHING AS SIMPLE AS THAT.
HE KEEPS TIME WITH CRIMINALS AND JUST AS HE IS ABOUT TO BE PROSECUTED RUNS AWAY WAITING UNTIL EVERYTHING HAS BLOWN OVER.

NOT JUST DEVIL-MAY-CARE, THEN.
WE MUST ALSO KEEP HIS MAJESTY SAFE..
HE'S THE NEXT IN LINE TO THE THRONE
SNAKE THAT HE IS, HE'S DIFFICULT TO DEAL WITH.

I WAS ACTUALLY RELIEVED WHEN HE LEFT LORRAINE...
...WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
twitch

WHY NOT TIE IT BACK, LIKE ME?
IT'S HOT AND HEAVY, ISN'T IT?
I'M HAVING SERIOUS ISSUES HERE, AND YOU...

ALSO I ALWAYS WANT TO TEASE YOU SO IT'S TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE.
I WAS JUST WONDERING HOW YOU'RE FINE WITH THE HEAT TODAY DESPITE YOUR WIG.

CLANG
YOU'RE TOO CLOSE..
NO, THE BACK PART IS A NET.
HOOVER MAKES IT WITH THREAD, NOT HUMAN HAIR, SO IT'S QUITE LIGHT

CLATTER
CLATTER
WAIT!!
THERE WAS NO 'BUSINESS'! PAY IT NO MIND!!
I SAW NOTHING! I'LL CLEAR UP AND LEAVE YOU TO YOUR BUSINESS!
I-I'M SO SORRY! IT DROPPED RIGHT OUT OF MY HANDS!

ang...
ang...
ang...

THERE WAS A MESSAGE FROM CARDINAL BRANDON ASKING TO MEET YOU AT THE PALACE EARLY.
AH...YES.
I IMAGINE HE'S AT HIS WIT'S END, TOO.
HE PROBABLY WANTS TO ALIGN PLANS.

BE QUIET!
INDEED, IT'S JUST A MISUNDERSTANDING! I'M CURRENTLY IN A ROMANTIC RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS NEPHEW..
DID YOU NEED ME FOR SOMETHING, YOUNG PETER?
Tell me

HAHA
IT'S ALMOST LIKE YOU'RE PLANNING TO GO TO WAR.
TELL HIM I'LL BE THERE
YES, SIR.

THAT'S NOT A JOKE.
HIS PREVIOUS CRIME WAS ILLEGAL IMPORTATION OF WEAPONS..

....
HM?

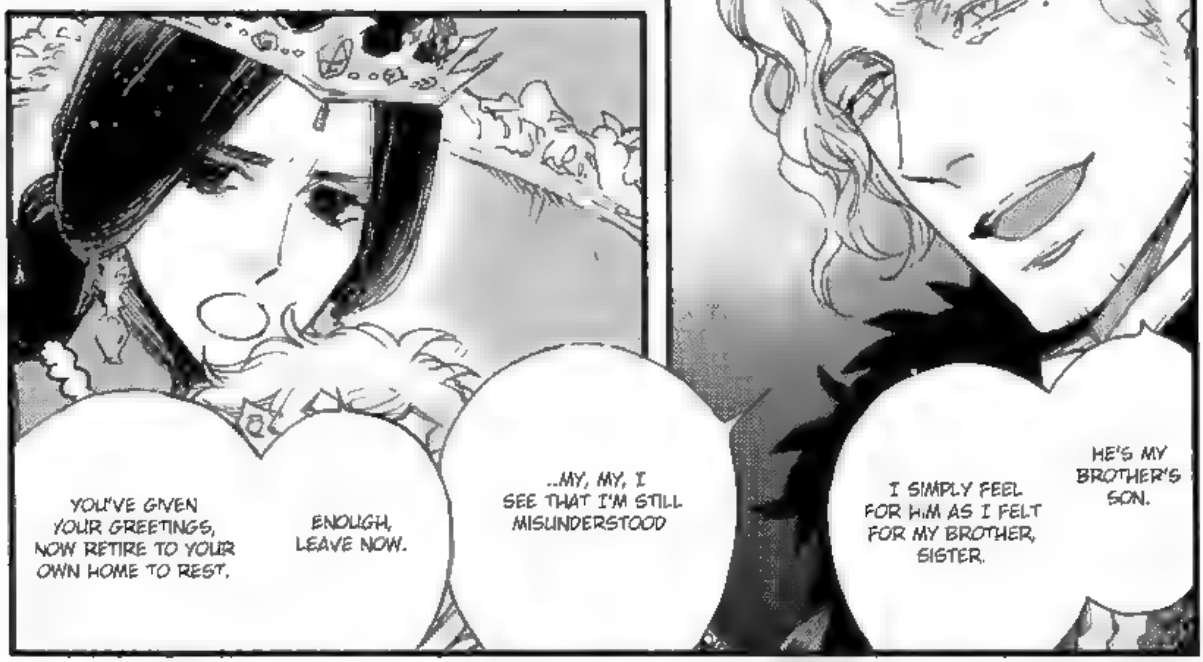
WE SUSPECT HE WAS PLANNING A REVOLT.
...MY KING AND LOVELY SISTER, THE QUEEN MOTHER. IT HAS BEEN SO LONG
I'M DELIGHTED TO SEE YOU BOTH STILL IN GOOD HEALTH.
.....

YES, I WANTED TO SUPPORT THE KING IN HIS HELPLESSNESS.
ORDER ME AS YOU LIKE.

TO RETURN TO THE COUNTRY WHEN IT S IN TURMOIL. HOW VERY LIKE YOU, SIMON.

HELLO, CHRIS, IT'S BEEN A WHILE.
DON'T YOU LOOK JUST LIKE MY BROTHER?

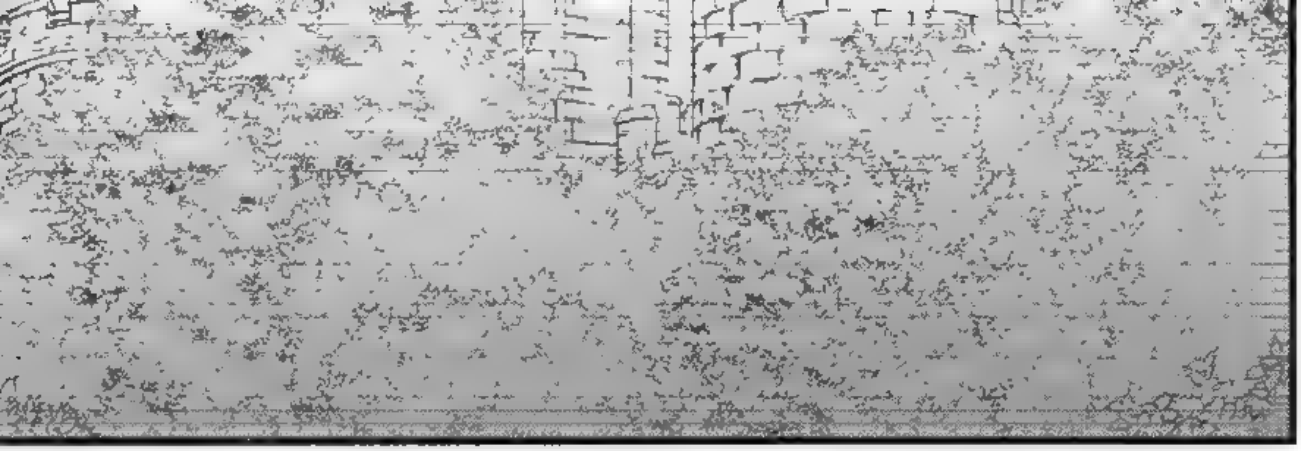
I SEE THE CHILD'S AS TIMID AS EVER.
SIMON! YOU ARE BEFORE YOUR KING, RESTRAIN YOURSELF!
press


YOU'VE GIVEN YOUR GREETINGS, NOW RETIRE TO YOUR OWN HOME TO REST.
ENOUGH, LEAVE NOW.
..MY, MY, I SEE THAT I'M STILL MISUNDERSTOOD
I SIMPLY FEEL FOR HIM AS I FELT FOR MY BROTHER, SISTER.
HE'S MY BROTHER'S SON.

I'VE NOT BEEN TO THE PALACE IN SO LONG, AT LEAST LET ME ENJOY IT.
THAT'S IT?
NOT EVEN A PARTY TO WELCOME ME?
IT SEEMS THAT THESE TWO ADVISERS OF CHRIS' HAVE TURNED THIS COUNTRY INTO QUITE THE BORE.

I JEST. I'LL RETURN TO MY MANSION AND DROWN MY LONELINESS IN WINE.
TO BE THROWN OUT OF MY OWN HOME.
TO THINK I WAS RAISED IN THIS VERY PALACE, TOO

sweep
WELL THEN.
UNTIL NEXT TIME, KING.
I HOPE THE NEXT WE MEET YOU WILL WELCOME ME WITH OPEN ARMS.



Sigh
Honestly,
He is such a headache
LORD MONTAGUE, YOU MUST BE TIRED SOME TEA FOR YOU.
MONTAGUE! YOU CAN HAVE THIS SWEET!
AH...
EH?

OK!
HERE, PUT THE SWEET ON THE SAUCER.
I KNOW, LET'S GIVE HIM THE TEA AND THE SWEET AT THE SAME TIME.

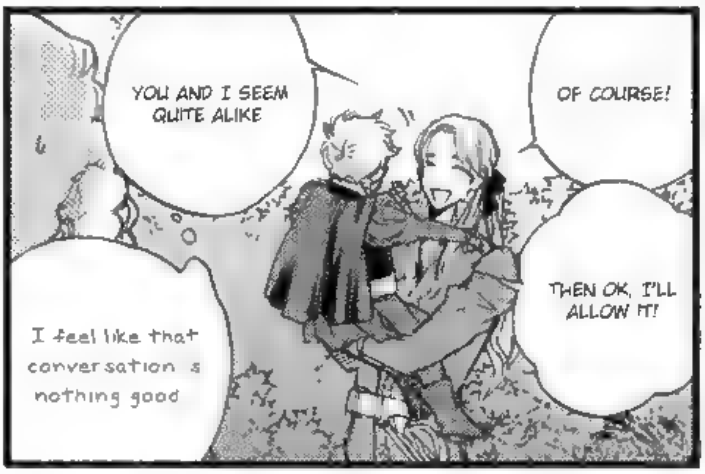
HMF, WE SAID IT AT THE SAME TIME!
I GAVE HIM THE SWEET FIRST!
Don't match wits with a child

LESE-MAJESTY!
D-DON'T DO THAT TO HIS MAJESTY!
cheekily
LORD MONTAGUE, A CUP OF TEA AND A SWEET FROM ME!
SHOCKED

DON'T WORRY! HIS MAJESTY WOULD NEVER TAKE IT LIKE THAT!
WHOA!
lift

WOULD THEY MAKE BOYS HAPPY, TOO?
THEY'RE SHAPED LIKE SHELLS.
THEY WOULD MAKE ANY GIRL HAPPY

Whisper
!
HOW ABOUT YOU TAKE THIS AS A TRADE FOR THE OTHER SWEET?
THESE ARE DELICIOUS SWEETS FROM ABROAD.


YOU AND I SEEM QUITE ALIKE
OF COURSE!
I feel like that conversation s nothing good
THEN OK, I'LL ALLOW IT!

He's a d l gent person
As with the party before, he really understands people's likes
Whee
MAJESTY!!!
SPIN
SPIN

nm
The tea s del c ous, too

IF ANYTHING HAPPENED TO HIS MAJESTY'S BODY...!!
WH-WHAT ARE YOU DOING, VISCOUNT CANNING?!
OH DO BE QUIET, CAPTAIN LIONEL.

LIONEL!
HM?

OH NO, I COULDN'T.
FORGIVE HIM, ADAM.
AS AN APOLOGY COME OVER AND STAY AGAIN SOON.♡
YOU'RE TOO KIND, QUEEN MOTHER!
How noisy

BUT QUEEN MOTHER...!
sigh
YOU WORRY TOO MUCH.
GETTING MAD ABOUT SUPPOSITIONS IS BAD FOR YOUR HEALTH.

Smile
I DO LOVE CUTE PEOPLE LIKE YOU.
YOU'RE JUST AS MEDDLING AS MY FATHER.

BY THE WAY YOU...
WHO ARE YOU?
ADAM, THIS IS LIONEL.
I-INDEED .
I AM THE CAPTAIN OF THE IMPERIAL GUARD, LIONEL

NOW, NOW, LIONEL.
Just this time
ARE YOU MAKING FUN OF ME!?
Smile

INDEED.
The whole time
I'M SORRY, HE'S ALWAYS LIKE THIS
YOU WERE HERE?
O-OH, LORD MONTAGUE!

Ca-
te?
WH-...

YES, I DO HOPE WE GET ALONG!
I'D LOVE TO SHARE INFORMATION WITH THE IMPERIAL GUARD! WE SHOULD ALL GO OUT DRINKING TOGETHER!
..HOWEVER I REALLY DON'T FEEL THAT I WILL GET USED TO THIS MAN..
IF YOU SAY SO, LORD MONTAGUE, THEN..
TAKE HIM WITH A PINCH OF SALT.
YOU'LL GET USED TO HIM.

CIRCUMSTANCES CERTAINLY HAVE BECOME UNSTABLE
YES, YOU MAY SIT

SIMON IS A DANGEROUS ENEMY.
I WANT YOU TO FIND THE EVIDENCE AGAINST HIM AND HANG HIM FROM THE RAMPARTS.
MADAM...
HOWEVER, AFTER THE LAST DISTURBANCE THE WITNESSES HAVE BEEN DISAPPEARING ONE BY ONE.

glance
...I SHOULD HAVE HAD ADAM BE CHRIS' BODYGUARD, NOT YOURS.

SIR SIMON MAY HAVE CHASED THEM FROM THE COUNTRY, OR...
WE MUST BE DISCREET IN OUR INVESTIGATIONS.

IT'S FINE, I UNDERSTAND.
I COULD NOT HAVE REFUSED LIONEL HIS POSITION. HE WAS PUT FORWARD BY THE CHURCH.
...PARDON?
I DON'T...

YET AT THE SAME TIME EVERYONE IS ENAMORED OF HIM.
HE IS KIND TO EVERYONE... THAT IS THE MAN I CALLED HERE.
HIS FLIGHTYNESS IS HIS CHARM.
...
THE PRIVY COUNCIL WOULD NEVER HAVE APPROVED
ADAM IS ALSO A POORLY BEHAVED SUPPORTERLESS COURT ECCENTRIC.

.....
HOWEVER IT SEEMS EVEN HE CAN CHANGE.
HE'S BECOME A FINE GENTLEMAN.

EH?!
MY PLAN TO MAKE HIM MY LOVER HAS BEEN THROWN INTO THE WIND.
COULD YOU SEND HIM ON HIS WAY, WITH DIRECTIONS TO MY BEDROOM?

YOU PROBABLY DON'T REMEMBER,
SIMON... ON THE DAY OF CHRIS' BIRTH, THE BEST DAY OF MY LIFE, HE SAID TO ME,
'HE LOOKS MORE LIKE ME THAN MY BROTHER.'

huff

TO PREVENT ANY SIMILAR RUMORS ARISING AGAIN, I CALLED ADAM HERE...

THE UNMITIGATED GALL!!

I'VE NEVER BEEN SO INSULTED! THANKS TO HIM RUMORS STARTED SAYING WE WERE HAVING AN AFFAIR!

SNAP

THEY'RE UNCLE AND NEPHEW, OF COURSE THEY'LL LOOK ALIKE!

I NEVER THOUGHT THE RUMORS WOULD BE ABOUT YOU AND ADAM INSTEAD...

twist

twist

T-THEY'RE JUST RUMORS...

HOW STRANGE I THOUGHT MY PLAN WAS PERFECT, THAT I COULD KEEP H S ATTENTION SOLELY ON MYSELF .

LET'S GO BACK TO OUR ROOMS, CHRIS.

YOU HAVE DANCE PRACTICE BEFORE DINNER.

YES, MOTHER.

I SHALL MAKE THE EFFORT.

I COULD NOT STAND RUMORS ABOUT SIMON AND I FLOURISHING AGAIN.

WELL, CONVINCE HIM TO COME TO ME ANYWAY. REGARDLESS OF OUR ACTUAL RELATIONSHIP

NO, HE CANNOT DANCE AT ALL.
CAN MONTAGUE COME, TOO?

THE WALTZ IS HARD.
WHEN YOU GROW UP ALL THE GIRLS WILL ADORE YOU.
SO YOU MUST BE SKILLED AT DANCING.

ARE YOU REALLY THAT POOR A DANCER?
...THAT'S WHY I ONLY EVER HAND OUT MY CARD AT EVENING PARTIES.
sigh

LIONEL IS MUCH BETTER AT DANCING
Y YOU JEST

EVERYONE HAS BECOME SO FLUSTERED BY THE RETURN OF JUST ONE MAN.

WE HAVE NO CHOICE.

WE NEED TO PUT AS MANY COUNTERMEASURES IN PLACE AS POSSIBLE.

OH, ARE WE NOT GOING BACK TO LAW OFFICES?

THERE'S A MEETING OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL.

I CANNOT SEE THAT SIMON AND THE LETTERS SENT TO YOU ARE UNCONNECTED.

I AGREE.

EVEN IF THEY AREN'T CONNECTED IT'S POSSIBLE THEY WILL BECOME SO.

...I THINK...

WHEN SIMON RAN ABROAD WE WEEDED OUT THOSE WITH GRUDGES AGAINST ME.

HOWEVER THERE WERE THOSE WHO WE LOST TRACK OF AND GAVE UP ON.

I SEE, SO SHE SENT A LETTER TO ME.
THIS IS WHY THE QUEEN MOTHER WANTED SOMEONE COMPLETELY UNRELATED TO LORRAINE AS MY BODYGUARD ..
IT'S LIKELY THAT HE HAS PEOPLE AMONGST THE MILITARY.
IT'S ALSO POSSIBLE THAT SIMON'S SUBORDINATES HAVE BEEN SILENCING THOSE INVOLVED.

Though it seems she also had other expectations
AFTER ALL, I'M WORKING AS HARD AS I CAN!
I WON'T LET ANYONE REGRET CHOOSING ME

I'VE NEVER REALLY WORKED HARD BEFORE.
I NEVER HAD A RESPONSIBILITY LIKE THIS BEFORE, EITHER.
DON'T GET CONCEITED, WE'RE ALL WORKING HARD.
YOU'RE BLOWING YOUR OWN TRUMPET QUITE LOUDLY.
WELL,
I DID THINK ONE DAY I WOULD LIVE FOR LOVE.

Sigh
YOU WERE SUPPOSED TO COMMENT ON THAT
PLEASE LISTEN WELL TO THE MOTIVATION FOR MY DEDICATION!

WHAT KIND OF TALK?
YOU DON'T KNOW THE MEANING OF THE WORDS 'TO HIDE YOUR EMOTIONS', DO YOU.
I DO VALUE YOUR WORK, BUT THEN YOU RUIN IT WITH THIS KIND OF TALK.
BESIDES, IF I DON'T TELL YOU HOW I FEEL, HOW WILL YOU KNOW?

Hmph
WELL, REWARDING A DOG IS RATHER SIMPLE
ALL THEY WANT IS A PAT ON THE HEAD.

ALSO, I TELL YOU SO YOU WILL PRAISE ME!
IF I DON'T REPORT IN, I WON'T GET A REWARD!
ARE YOU A DOG?

STOP SAYING THINGS THAT ARE EASILY MISUNDERSTOOD!!
I WANT TO BE YOUR DOG!

.. WHAT'S WITH THAT 'EUREKA' FACE...?
STOP BEING SO HAPPY!
I'm seeing things!

HONESTLY, SOMETHING LIKE THIS WHEN I'M ALREADY BUSY
WE'LL PRETEND I NEVER MENTIONED DOGS.
A PAT ON THE HEAD IS A GREAT IDEA!
PLEASE IMPLEMENT IT AT ONCE!
NO.
send him on his way to my bedroom'

RECRUITING!
WE ARE LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS TO HELP REVITALIZE OUR GROUP!
we need EXPERIENCED
Cleaners
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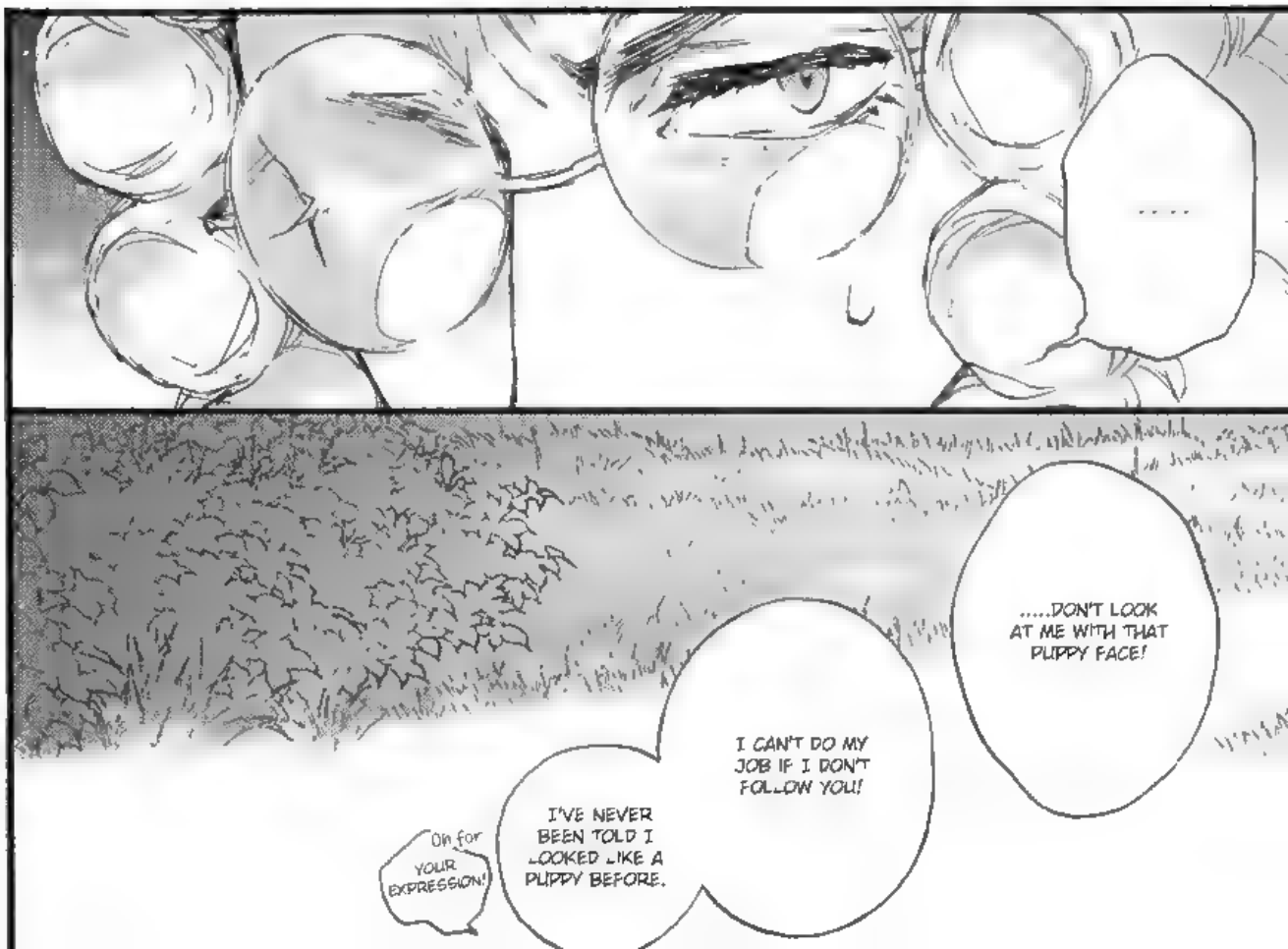
ADAM, YOU...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.....DON'T LOOK AT ME WITH THAT PUPPY FACE!
I CAN'T DO MY JOB IF I DON'T FOLLOW YOU!
I'VE NEVER BEEN TOLD I LOOKED LIKE A PUPPY BEFORE.
Oh for YOUR EXPRESSION!

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Snip
Snap
Singing ?
Glance
...?

OH!
!?
JUMP

Chuckle
?
NO, NO, NOT AT ALL. THAT'S SURPRISING, TOO.
!
AM I BAD?

A-
ADAM! YOU STARTLED ME!
Hup
YOU STARTLED ME, TOO..
I NEVER EXPECTED YOU TO SING.

YOU'RE STARTING EARLY TODAY
CUTE..?
NO, IT'S
IT'S LOVELY. CHARMING.

So the left over impetus carried him outside
AFTER STRAINING MY NERVES TIL DAWN AND COMING UP WITH NOTHING I DECIDED TO COME STRAIGHT OUTSIDE FOR A BREAK AND DO SOME PRUNING
Cumpied

WELL I'VE NEVER SEEN YOU WITH YOUR GUARD DOWN LIKE THIS BEFORE.
!
AHH...I WAS WORKING LAST NIGHT BUT NOT GETTING ANYWHERE.
Scritch

OH,
I DIDN'T MEAN
T TO BE .

IF I CAN JUST WALK UP TO YOU LIKE TH S THEN YOU NEED TO BE CAREFUL....
I KNOW THIS S YOUR BACK GARDEN. BUT PLEASE BE MORE CAUTIOUS.
WHAT'S THIS? A LECTURE?

YOU'VE CHANGED, TOO
FORGIVE ME, THE WORDS SL PPED OUT. .
... ...

NO, I'M SORRY, YOU'RE JUST DOING YOUR JOB.
I DIDN'T COME OUT ALONE, THOUGH?
MY MAN IS OUT FRONT WATERING THE PLANTS.
THAT IS ALONE!

NEITHER WOULD I.
I NEVER WOULD HAVE THOUGHT TO SEE THE DAY YOU SCOLDED ME.
ARE YOU RESTING TODAY?

HUH?

SINCE YOU'RE DOING IT ANYWAY I'D LOVE TO SEE YOU COMPLETELY TRIMMED

THIS IS SUCH A RARE CHANCE.

I WANT TO SEE YOU CLEAN-SHAVED!

GRAB

PARDON?

YES, BUT I NEED TO GO TO THE PALACE AT NOON...

!

lift

?

YOU HAVE STRANGE TASTES.

BESIDES IF I DON'T HAVE A BEARD THEN THE WIG ITCHES SOMETHING AWFUL WHEN I WEAR IT.

AH...EH?

SO THERE WAS AN ACTUAL REASON FOR THE SCRUFF...?

YOU WANT TO SEE IT THAT MUCH?

LET IT GO.

HMMM, WHAT A SHAME.

NOT EVEN JUST ONCE?

HOW ABOUT AS A PRIZE FOR BEATING YOU AT CARDS?

I DO!

BUT WHY IS IT FOR SUCH NONSENSICAL PARTS?!
GO AND READ ONE OF MY BOOKS, WHY DON'T YOU!
EH--------
They're nothing but difficult law talk
...I'VE FINALLY GOTTEN IT INTO MY HEAD THAT YOU'VE AN INTEREST IN ME.
AAAHHHHH I WANT TO SEE IT...
I KNOW, I HAVEN'T A CHANCE
THAT'S NOT GOING TO HAPPEN.
SLUMP
...IS THAT THE MORNING SUN OR THE EVENING SUN?
I-IT'S TOO BRIGHT, PRINCE LOUIS...
I BELIEVE IT'S THE MORNING SUN...

PINCH
LOOKS LIKE WE'VE REACHED THE LIMITS OF OUR DEPRAVITY THEN.
I'VE EVEN GOTTEN USED TO YOUR TERRIBLE SLEEPING HABITS. CUTE.
UGHHH
U-U'M SOWWY !

WHAT DAY IS IT TODAY?
HOW MANY DAYS HAS IT BEEN?
AH...UH... UM..
I THINK IT'S BEEN A WEEK...
Swish

TOO LATE FOR THAT!
I THREW OFF DINNER PARTIES AND WOMEN AND ALL MY ENGAGEMENTS THE PAST WEEK TO STAY LOCKED IN THIS ROOM WITH YOU.
T-THAT'S NOT A PROBLEM.
WE CAN SIMPLY SAY THAT YOU HAD A FEVER AND I WAS ATTENDING TO YOU.

I WANT A BATH.
WITH YOU. YOU STINK.
...
IT WOULDN'T BE PROPER...

HAAAH...

THAT MAKES SENSE.
GOOD IDEA
.I'LL GO AND PREPARE THE WATER.

I DO LIKE THIS BATHING CULTURE OF LORRAINE'S
I WANT TO BUILD A BIGGER BATHTUB IN THE PALACE WHEN WE GET BACK TO TANSE.

I THOUGHT TANSE'S COLD BATHS WERE A PROOF OF ITS MASCULINITY?
THAT'S JUST FOR SHOW!
EVERYONE USES HOT WATER. THEY JUST KEEP QUIET ABOUT IT
splash

Splash
YOU CAN CLEAN YOURSELF PROPERLY IN HOT WATER.
MASCULINITY IS ALL FINE AND WELL BUT I CAN'T STAND SMELLING BAD
HEY, FETCH A TOWEL.
S...SIR.
HM. .

LOOK HERE
DO YOU THINK I'VE LOST SOME WEIGHT?
...NHK
...I SEE.
IT'S BECAUSE YOU'VE BEEN THRUSTING INTO ME EVERY DAY

R, RE...
REALLY, SUCH LANGUAGE!

!
I DON'T CARE.
splatter
splash

PRINCE LOUIS...

THE ENTIRE WEEK I SPENT NAKED IN FRONT OF YOU...

...YOU DIDN'T EVEN TRY TO KILL ME ONCE.

WELL DONE.

!

slide

NOW THEN.

IT'S BEEN A WHILE. SHALL WE HEAD OUTSIDE?

LET'S GO AND SEE HOW OUR 'COMRADES' ARE DOING.

...YES, SIR.

That surprised me

Eh· Do· smell!?

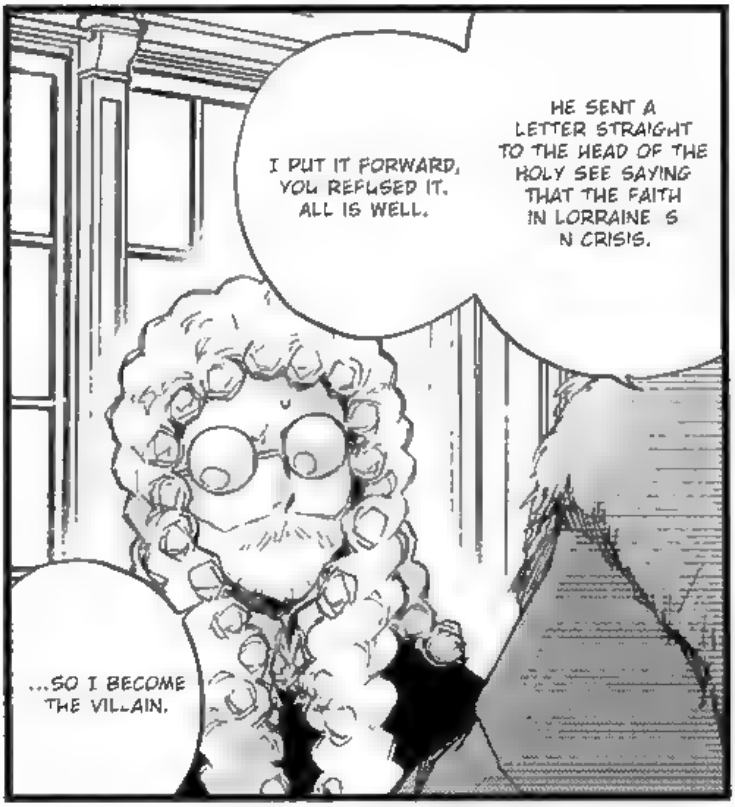
get in the leftover bath water

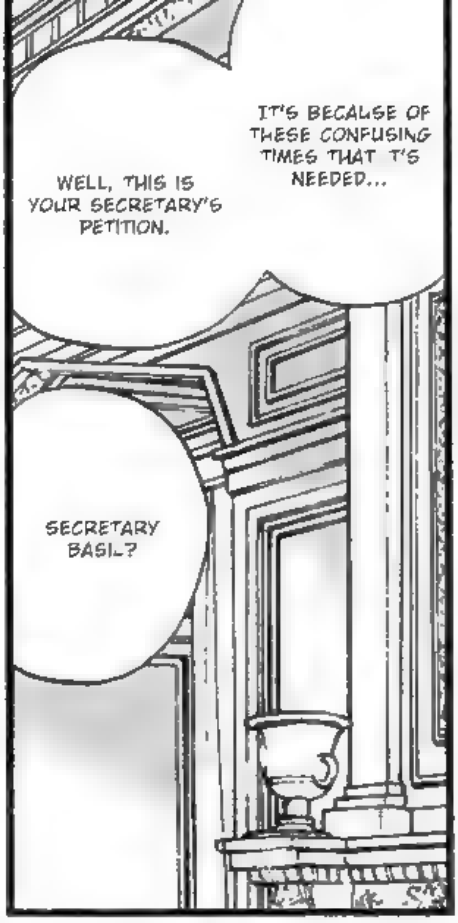
Just how far through me has he seen.?

LOOKS LIKE YOU RESCINDED MY PERMISSION FOR THE MONASTARY'S EXPANSION.

INDEED.

I'M SURE THERE IS MORE THAN ENOUGH WORK WITH THE COMMEMORATION OF THE CATHEDRAL'S CONSTRUCTION AND THE FESTIVAL OF LIGHT.


I PUT IT FORWARD, YOU REFUSED IT. ALL IS WELL.
HE SENT A LETTER STRAIGHT TO THE HEAD OF THE HOLY SEE SAYING THAT THE FAITH IN LORRAINE S N CRISIS.
...SO I BECOME THE VILLAIN.


WELL, THIS IS YOUR SECRETARY'S PETITION.
IT'S BECAUSE OF THESE CONFUSING TIMES THAT T'S NEEDED...
SECRETARY BASIL?

THAT WOULD BE HOW YOU PA NT ME N YOUR REPORTS, I'M SURE
D DN'T YOU KNOW?
YOUR VERY EX STENCE IS AN OBSTACLE TO THE HOLY SEE.
I THINK IT WILL BE DIFFICULT FOR THEM TO COEXIST
THE 'WORLD' THAT WE DESIRE,
AND THE 'SOCIETY' THAT YOU DESIRE

IF YOU RETURN T W LL BE TO TAKE UP LEADERSHIP OF THE HOLY SEE.
YOU CAN COUNT ON MY HARASSMENT.
I D PREFER ASSISTANCE

SHOW ME YOUR ABIL TY BEFORE I HEAD BACK TO XEHANA.
BUT IN A SMALL COUNTRY LIKE TH S IT M GHT WORK UNEXPECTEDLY WELL.

LASTLY SIMON.
AHH...

...
OH, I SEE
ON THE QUEEN MOTHER'S RECOMMENDATION, WE'LL MAKE A DONATION.

ANYWAY MOV NG ON TO THE FUNDS FOR THE FESTIVAL OF L GHT.
PLEASE REFRAIN FROM COUNT NG ON THE TREASURY FOR FUND NG FOR THE COMMEMORATION.
YOU'RE SO M SERLY...

ADAM, WHAT HAS SIMON BEEN UP TO?
AH.
I'VE HAD MY PEOPLE WATCHING HIS MANSION EVERY DAY.

I'D LIKE TO OFFER HIM UP AS A SACRIFICE AT THE CHURCH FOR THE PEACE OF THE PEOPLE.
I JUST HAD THE SUDDEN URGE TO RETURN TO XEHANA.
Your dislike is showing
AS A MEMBER OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL I'D OFFER MY ASSISTANCE!

IT'S POSSIBLE HE'S MEETING WITH SOMEONE.
BROTHELS MAKE FOR EASY CONFIDENTIAL MEETINGS.
BUT HE HAS OF YET NOT DONE ANYTHING NOTEWORTHY.
THE OCCASIONS HE DOES LEAVE THE MANSION IT'S TO GO TO A BROTHEL OR SOMETHING SIMILAR.

I SEE. PLEASE CONTINUE YOUR SURVEILLANCE.
YES, BUT I DID NOT FEEL THAT HE WAS MEETING WITH ANYONE.

YOU'RE NOT FOOLING ANYONE.
WERE YOU ABLE TO GET INSIDE THE BROTHEL?
...OR SO I'VE HEARD.
FROM RUMOURS.

HE MUST HAVE HAD A REASON FOR COMING BACK.
AND SO I'M SURE HE WILL BEGIN TO MAKE HIS MOVE.
chatter
chatter
Oh,
Isn't that Prince Fredaux?

I had heard that he was unwell

Has he recovered ?

Is something wrong, Mr Basil?

...NOW THEN,

LET'S GO OFFER A PRAYER TO THE DEVIL OF THIS LAND, GIL.

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LORD MONTAGLE, YOU HAVE A VISITOR.
HM?
IT'S ME, YOUR EXCELLENCY
AHH, LISZT... DID YOU NEED SOMETHING?
STRAIGHT TO BUSINESS WITHOUT EVEN A 'HELLO' YOU'RE SO IMPATIENT.
AT LEAST LET ME ASK HOW YOU'VE BEEN KEEPING.
TERRIBLY.

SUCH AN UNREFINED MASTER YOU ARE.

I HEAR THAT A LOT.

SO? WHAT DID YOU COME HERE FOR?

I WANTED TO LEAVE ONE OF MY MEN WITH YOU TO RELAY COMMUNICATIONS.

SHOULD MAKE THINGS EASIER IF ANYTHING HAPPENS, RIGHT?

PAT

THIS IS OLIVIER. YOU KNOW EACH OTHER, YES?

THEN IT'S DECIDED!

AH, I SEE. . YES IT SHOULD.

HE'S THE STAR OF OUR GROUP AND MY RIGHT HAND.

HE'S SKILLFUL, TALENTED AND A QUICK LEARNER.

HE MIGHT SEEM A BIT DOZY BUT HIS ACTING IS QUITE GOOD

WAH HA HA
blush
THAT'S RIGHT!
HE'S SO PRETTY IN FACT THAT I GOT DRUNK AND ELOPED WITH HIM. NOW HE'S MY WIFE
HE MIGHT HAVE AN UNREMARKABLE FACE BUT WITH MAKEUP ON HE'S A REAL BEAUTY.
I...SEE.
!
THAT'S RIGHT, AT THE PARTY HE WAS DRESSED AS A WOMAN...

bow
WE'VE TAUGHT THIS CHILD THE ARTS BUT REAL SCHOOLING IS BEYOND US.
SO PLEASE TEACH HIM EVERYTHING YOU CAN.

HE'S ACTUALLY VERY BUSY...
IN AND OUT LIKE A STORM..
HONESTLY, WHICH OF US HAS NO PATIENCE.

I'LL LEAVE IT TO YOU!
MAKE GOOD USE OF HIM!

I'M 14.

I...

I thought he was older

I SEE.

HM? DID HE SAY 'CHILD'?

HOW OLD ARE YOU?

HOWEVER I HAVE BEEN TOLD NOT TO SELL MYSELF SHORT.

I-INDEED. I'LL PUT YOU TO GOOD USE...

wait wasn't Olivier the one who drugged Adam at the banquet?

I WILL DO ANY ODD JOBS OR LOOKING AFTER YOUR PERSONAL BELONGINGS.

IN ANY CASE, YOU CAN USE THE NEARBY CONFERENCE ROOM TO GET UP TO DATE.

IF THERE'S ANYTHING YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND, PLEASE ASK THE SECRETARIES.

PETER!

YES, SIR.

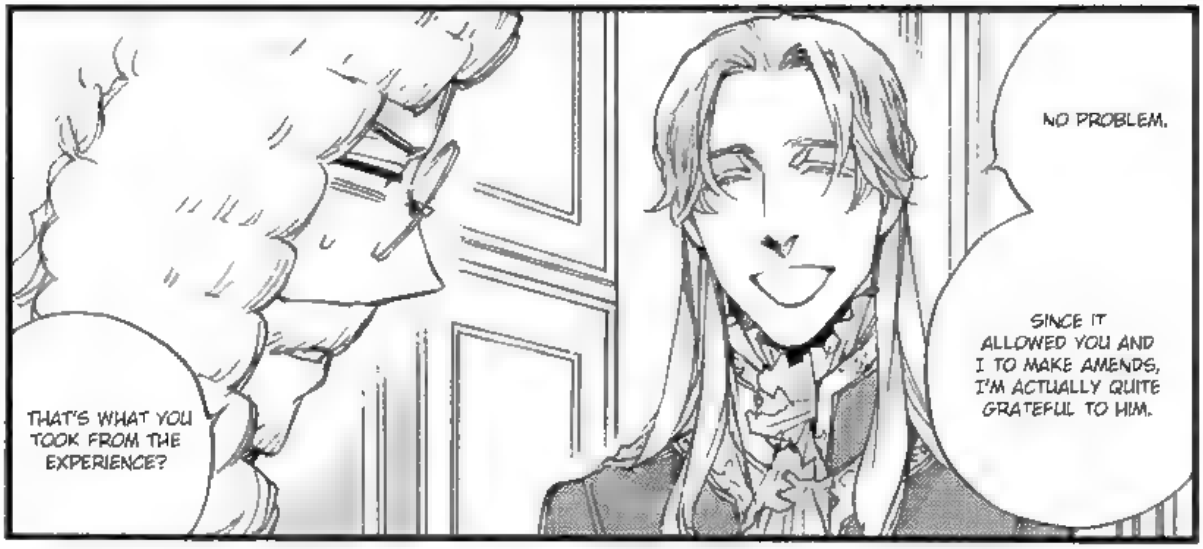
SIGH
This way.
The room opposite is where the bodyguards spend their time
Yet another eccentric person

THIS IS OUR NEWEST MEMBER. HE'S ABOUT YOUR AGE, SO PLEASE LOOK AFTER HIM.
bow
Y-YES, SIR, I WILL.

I WISH I COULD RUN ERRANDS FOR YOU.
I'M SO ENVIOUS-

...AND NOW THE FIGUREHEAD OF THE ECCENTRICS.
I TAKE IT SHOWING UP LIKE THIS MEANS YOU'VE DECIDED TO COMPLETELY ABANDON YOUR DUTIES?
IF I DIDN'T HAVE TO WORK...

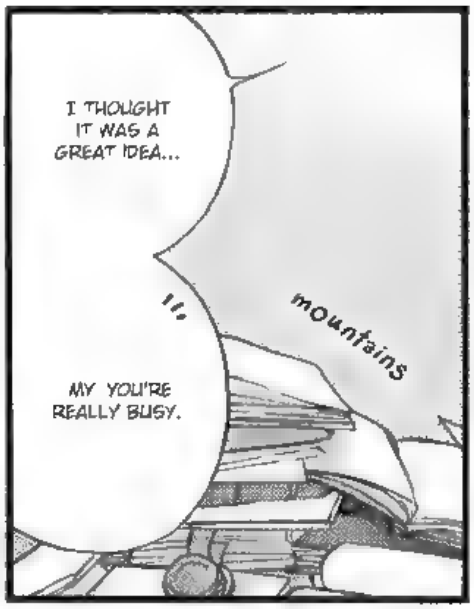
...ARE YOU ALRIGHT WITH THAT?
HE'S THE BOY WHO DRUGGED YOU.
I'LL HELP LOOK AFTER OLIVIER, TOO.
LISZT JUST PAID ME A VISIT, TOO
Figure-head?

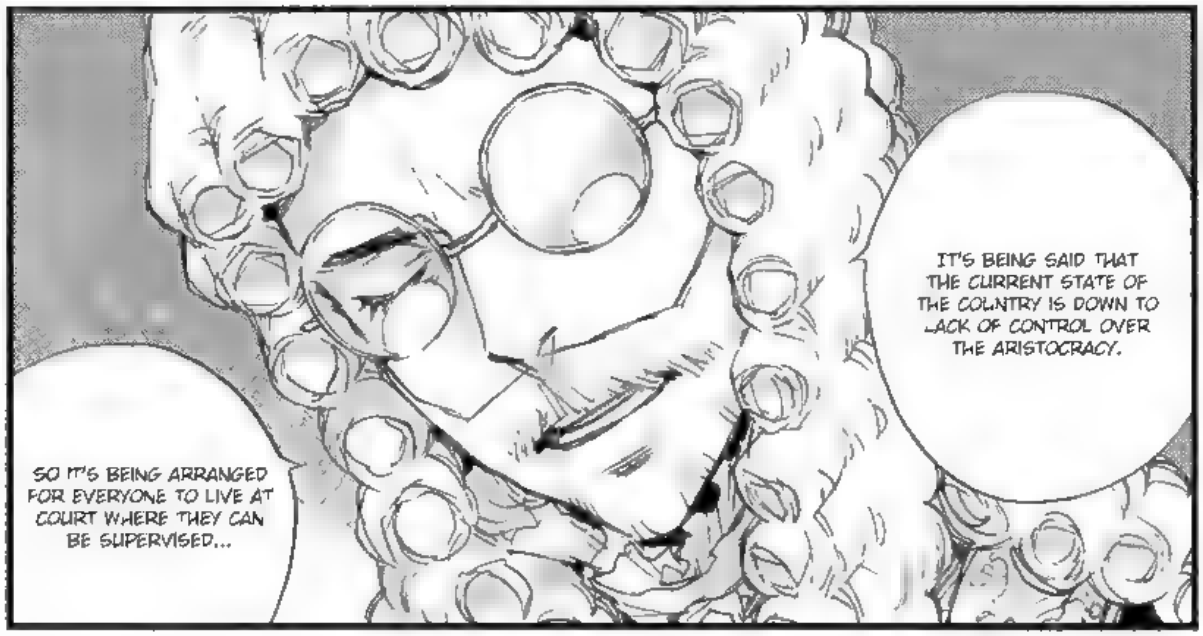

THAT'S WHAT YOU TOOK FROM THE EXPERIENCE?
NO PROBLEM.
SINCE IT ALLOWED YOU AND I TO MAKE AMENDS, I'M ACTUALLY QUITE GRATEFUL TO HIM.

NO.
THEN I CAN TAKE IT EASY,
AND SPEND MY TIME RUNNING ERRANDS FOR YOU!

THAT BOY IS QUITE USEFUL.
I'D LIKE TO HAVE HIM AS PART OF THE GUARD.

EXTENSION?
I'M WRESTLING WITH THE TREASURY FINANCES.
I NOW HAVE AN EXTENSION TO THE COURT TO DEAL WITH AS WELL AS THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE CATHEDRAL.
sigh


I THOUGHT IT WAS A GREAT IDEA...
MY YOU'RE REALLY BUSY.
mountains


IT'S BEING SAID THAT THE CURRENT STATE OF THE COUNTRY IS DOWN TO LACK OF CONTROL OVER THE ARISTOCRACY.
SO IT'S BEING ARRANGED FOR EVERYONE TO LIVE AT COURT WHERE THEY CAN BE SUPERVISED...

AHHH...I DON'T WANT TO DO IT.
THAT'S THE ONE PLACE I DON'T WANT TO LIVE....
sigh
BUT DOESN'T THIS MEAN THAT YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO LIVE AT COURT AGAIN, TOO?
I SEE, THE SAME AS TANSE.

DOESN'T THIS MEAN THAT AS BOTH A NOBLE AND YOUR BODYGUARD I COULD END UP IN THE ROOM NEXT TO YOURS...!?

GASP

UGHHH I REALLY DON'T WANT TO DO IT.. !!

IF THEY MAKE ME MOVE BACK TO THE COURT I'M GOING TO RETIRE AND MOVE TO THE COUNTRYSIDE.

WHAT WAS THAT YOU SAID ABOUT ME SHIRKING MY DUTIES?

It wouldn't be a bad life-

Maybe the King will grant me an amnesty.

Although you'd be working dawn til dusk

...AFTER ALL THE FUN YOU HAD IN THE PAST WEEK I'M IMPRESSED YOU HAVE THE ENERGY
SHOULD WE HAVE SOME FUN BEFORE WE HEAD BACK, GIL?
WOULD YOU LOOK AT THAT VIEW.

I HAVE A SEPARATE STOMACH FOR DESSERTS
BESIDES, I WANT TO SEE YOU WRUNG COMPLETELY DRY.
P-PLEASE DON'T JOKE SO.
slide
I'M NOT JOKING. .
!

tug
..WHAT'S THIS?
I'LL BE BORROWING THIS.
TAKE MY ROBE IN EXCHANGE.
tug pat
smooth
JUST IN CASE.
TONIGHT, YOU ARE ATTENDANT.
P-PLEASE TAKE THIS A LITTLE MORE SERIOUSLY!
PLEASE MAKE SURE TO KEEP YOUR FACE HIDDEN AND NOT TALK.
HAHAH. I SEE.
THIS IS THAT POPULAR LORRAINNIAN GAME OF 'QUICK CHANGE'!

Fufun
I m worr ed
IT'S NOT HARD TO IMITATE A SERVANT
INTERESTING! I'LL WALK BEHIND YOU.

I WOULD MUCH RATHER WE SIMPLY LEFT...

WE HAVE AN APPOINTMENT.
PLEASE INFORM THE MASTER OF THE HOUSE.
YOU HAVE A VISITOR.
SIR,

WELL HELLO THERE.

SHOULD I SAY 'PLEASED TO MEET YOU'?

...INDEED, I BELIEVE THIS IS THE FIRST TIME WE'VE MET.

I HAVE CAUGHT SIGHT OF YOU SEVERAL TIMES BEFORE, HOWEVER. .

I thought we were going to meet the head of the heret cal rebels?
Why is th s man here?
YES, I REMEMBER SEEING YOU, TOO.
IT WAS BETWEEN THE BARS OF MY CAGE AS IT HEADED FOR THE PALACE.

PRINCE LOUIS.

I THOUGHT TO MYSELF I HAD BETTER GREET YOU PROPERLY SOME DAY.
YOU'RE AN IMPORTANT GUEST OF *MY COUNTRY* AFTER ALL.
...NO, IT APPEARS I HAVE THE WRONG ROOM.
THIS IS MY ATTENDANT...
SHUT YOUR MOUTH.
I DON'T SPEAK WITH THE LIKES OF SLAVES.

IT'S AN HONOUR TO BE REMEMBERED, PRINCE SIMON.

ENOUGH, GIL, STAND DOWN.
...

OVER HERE WERE HAVE FAITHFUL, HOT-BLOODED DOGS WHO HAVE BEEN PROVIDING ASSISTANCE WHILE I'VE BEEN OUT OF THE COUNTRY.
I ASKED AROUND AND FOUND THAT SOMEONE HAD BEEN KEEPING THEM FED.

WITH REFINEMENT LIKE YOURS IT WOULD BE HARD NOT TO.
WITH ROYALTY SUCH AS OURS IT LEAKS THROUGH ANY DISGUISE.. SO

SO I THOUGHT I SHOULD COME AND SAY THANK YOU TO THE BENEVOLENT SOUL WHO HAD BEEN DOING ME A FAVOUR.

...BUT I HONESTLY NEVER THOUGHT YOU WOULD BE THE ONE TO SHOW UP.

HMPH. . BUT IT SEEMS LIKE MY DOGS AND YOUR SLAVE KNOW EACH OTHER?
I WONDER WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF THAT WERE TO BECOME COMMON KNOWLEDGE?
...I THINK YOU MIGHT BE CONFUSED?
I SIMPLY CAME TO ENJOY THE BROTHEL.
WELL, IT'S POSSIBLE THAT YOUR SLAVE COULD HAVE BEEN ACTING BEHIND YOUR BACK.
WILL YOU HAVE HIM TAKE THE FALL ALONE, PRINCE LOUIS?
Ahh. I knew I should have avoided this stup d ty
If I'd just come alone this wouldn't have-
...INDEED.

IF HE DID, THEN THERE'S NO OTHER CHOICE.
I HAVE NO UNDERSTANDING OF A SLAVE'S HEART, AFTER ALL.
.....!
HAHA!
YOU'RE AS COOL-HEADED AS THE RUMOURS SAY!
WINE, PRINCE LOUIS?
WE BOTH NEED TO KEEP PROPER LEASHES ON OUR DOGS.
I'M SURE WE BOTH WANT TO AVOID DETECTION.
...NO, THANK YOU.

YOU CAN HAVE THE DOG FOOD I BROUGHT TODAY FOR FREE,
AND I'LL MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO RETURN TO TANSE. AGREED?
IT LOOKED LIKE AN INTERESTING DIVERSION, BUT WITH YOU INVOLVED IT'S A COMPLETELY DIFFERENT MATTER.
THE PEOPLE DO NOT DESIRE A REBELLION...I CANNOT SUPPORT YOU.

HA HA
HOW BORING! WHEN THE FUN IS ONLY JUST ABOUT TO START
I TOLD YOU I'M SHORT ON FUNDING REMEMBER?

SO YOU WANT TO PRESS ME FOR MORE?
THAT JUST PUTS US BOTH IN A DANGEROUS POSITION.
I WON'T GO WITH IT.
NOW NOW DON'T SAY SUCH HEARTLESS THINGS.

UP TO THE FRONT, OLD MAN.
!
BRING THEM IN.
SIR.
HY!
THUD
IT SEEMS THEY RECOGNIZED YOU AND FOLLOWED YOU HERE
SO DID THE SERVANT CHILD.
THIS OLD MAN HEARD EVERYTHING WE JUST TALKED ABOUT.

TH-THIS IS DREADFUL...
PRINCE LOUIS, YOU TOLD ME THE HERETICS WERE UNFORGIVABLE!
YET TO. TO DEAL WITH THIS DEVIL '

HEY OLD MAN, YOU KNOW WHO I AM, RIGHT?
YOU KNOW WHO PRINCE LOUIS OVER THERE WAS BRINGING MONEY TO AS WELL, RIGHT?

'DEVIL'. HM.
IF ONLY I WERE
!
WAIT-!

thunk

AH
AH
Kyaah
kachink
Haha
...A SINGLE STAB TO THE CHEST
YOU'LL DIE QUICKLY THIS WAY.
BE GRATEFUL, OLD MAN.

SO I THOUGHT KILLING HIM WOULD MAKE ME FEEL A BIT BETTER,
THIS OLD MAN WORKED FOR THAT MONTAGUE, RIGHT?

AH
thud

AGH
slide

SIR.
CLEAN THAT MESS UP ALREADY.
BUT IT HASN'T HELPED AT ALL.
WELL, WHAT NOW, PRINCE LOUIS?
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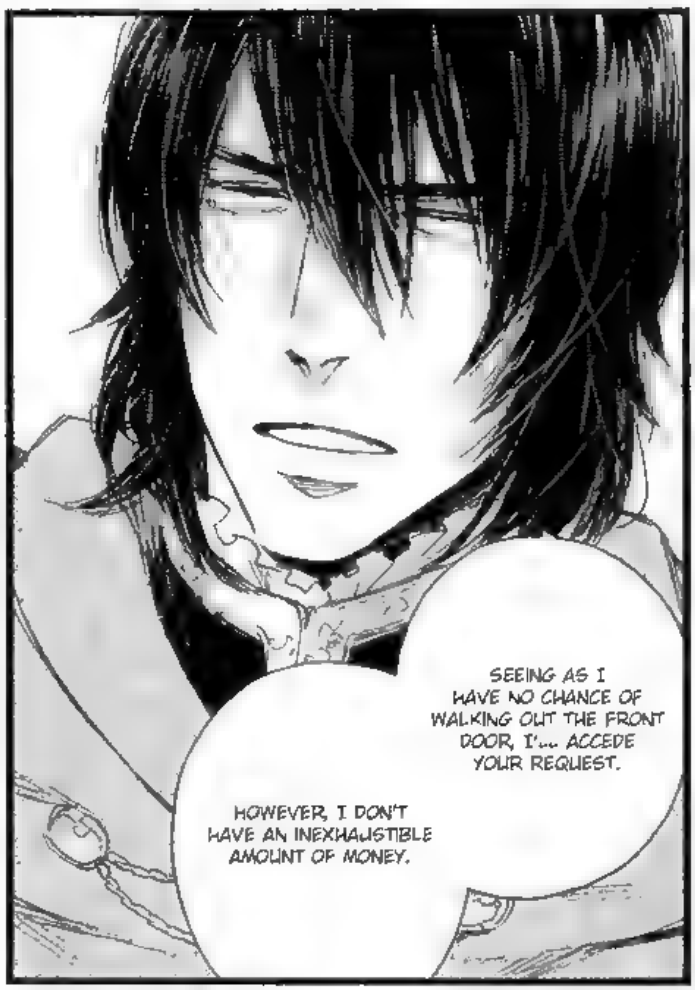
THIS CHILD SAW EVERYTHING.
CHILDREN ARE HONEST BEINGS, YOU KNOW.
I WONDER WHAT HE THINKS OF YOU AS YOU STAND THERE?

we're at a disadvantage
It's impossible to shut the mouths of everyone here
If we could just take h m out no, there's no way of knowing how many serve him
We can't run
There there, from now on you're my servant
A puppy~

...VERY WELL PRINCE SIMON.


SEEING AS I HAVE NO CHANCE OF WALKING OUT THE FRONT DOOR, I'... ACCEDE YOUR REQUEST.
HOWEVER, I DON'T HAVE AN INEXHAUSTIBLE AMOUNT OF MONEY.

This peaceful living has made me soft!
I would never have fallen for such a pathetic plan back in Tanse!

OH, I KNOW THAT!

. . . .

VERY WELL.

I KNOW, WHEN THE TIME COMES YOU SHOULD RAISE MY REPUTATION AMONGST YOUR CITIZENS.

FUFU! EXCELLENT!

IN A LARGE COUNTRY LIKE TANSE THERE MUST BE LOTS OF FUN TO BE HAD!

WHILE I WAS AWAY IT WAS NOTHING BUT SMALL RUSTIC PLACES.

ARE YOU PLANNING A REBELLION?

...LET ME CLARIFY ONE THING.

Unacceptable It would lead us to war

I have no cho ce but to keep him happy until I can find my chance

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My name is Paul Cailletet
I'm the manservant of Viscount Canning, the handsome single aristocrat you see standing there

I'M SO GLAD! THEY'RE TALKING!
phew
ALRIGHT, I'LL GO AND GREET THEM BOTH!
...TAKE CARE.
Just like his master he's a fine hardworking man
This man is Lord Montague's head butler, Mr. Frank.
... ... AH.

They didn't even speak to each other for a while.
This happened a little while ago now
but our masters had a falling out.

We worried about our young masters every day,
and then.

We met a kindred spirit
Ah
That's Lord Montague's
Ah
FOR A TIME I WAS WORRIED THEY WOULD NEVER RECONCILE..
I AM JUST SO RELIEVED.
IT TRULY IS A RELIEF
Honestly.
I THOUGHT I WAS USED TO MY MASTER'S SHENANIGANS BUT THIS TIME I THOUGHT I WOULD END UP WITH AN ULCER.
IS IT POSSIBLE TO BECOME USED TO THAT YOUNG MAN...?

I BECAME HIS MANSERVANT WHEN HE WAS 11.
...WELL, THAT'S TRUE.

IT'S JUST THAT IT'S LIKE HE'S FROM ANOTHER WORLD.
I WASN'T ATTEMPTING TO BE RUDE!
OH, AH!

PERHAPS IT WAS HIS ROBUST HEALTH AND INCREDIBLE GOOD LOOKS THAT FILLED HIM WITH THE CONFIDENCE TO SHRUG OFF THE JEALOUSY AND SCORN OF OTHERS.
HE TRULY IS LIKE SOME BEING FROM A COMPLETELY DIFFERENT DIMENSION.
HE NEVER PAID ANY MIND TO THE FACT HE WAS AT A DISADVANTAGE AS AN ADOPTED CHILD.

THANK YOU, MARTHA.
NOW, NOW, HAVE SOME TEA.

Well I actually meant that he's an aristocrat
IT WAS A GREAT SHOCK TO ME THAT SUCH A CREATURE COULD EXIST.

I BAKED SOME ORANGE CAKE.
I DON'T KNOW IF IT SUITS A XEHANIAN TONGUE, BUT GIVE IT A TRY
YOU'RE USING US AS GUINEA PIGS...
OF COURSE. IF IT'S GOOD I'LL MAKE SOME FOR LORD MONTAGUE.

SO, MR. FRANK, AN IMPARTIAL TASTING, IF YOU PLEASE.
IT'S WONDERFUL. YOUR BEST YET.
Prejudice

hmph
BUT MEN FROM XEHANA HAVE A LONG REPUTATION OF USING SILVER TONGUES TO GET THEIR WAY WITH WOMEN...

OH!
YES, THIS IS LOVELY!
THIS IS EVEN BETTER THAN THE CAKES IN XEHANA.
OH MY, YOU FLATTERER.

N-NOW, MARTHA!
IF THINGS PERMIT, YOU'LL BE A MEMBER OF THE STAFF HERE, AFTER ALL.
OF COURSE I'VE LEARNT YOUR NAME, MR. PAUL!

COULD YOU PLEASE LEARN MY NAME.
SO THE XEHANIAN WAS TELLING THE TRUTH.
OH, REALLY?

Side
BECOME.. LIKE THIS WITH EACH OTHER...

IF LORD MONTAGUE AND VISCOUNT CANNING...
WELL,
?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

And such a fine figure of a man!
WE ALL THOUGHT HE'D DIE A BACHELOR, YOU SEE!
IT'S NOT COMMONLY SPOKEN OF,
BUT EVERYONE IS JUST SO HAPPY THAT THERE'S SOMEONE WHO'S SO CLEARLY WOOING LORD MONTAGUE...
Aha.
...THEN MY MASTER AND I MAY BECOME RESIDENTS OF THIS MANSION.

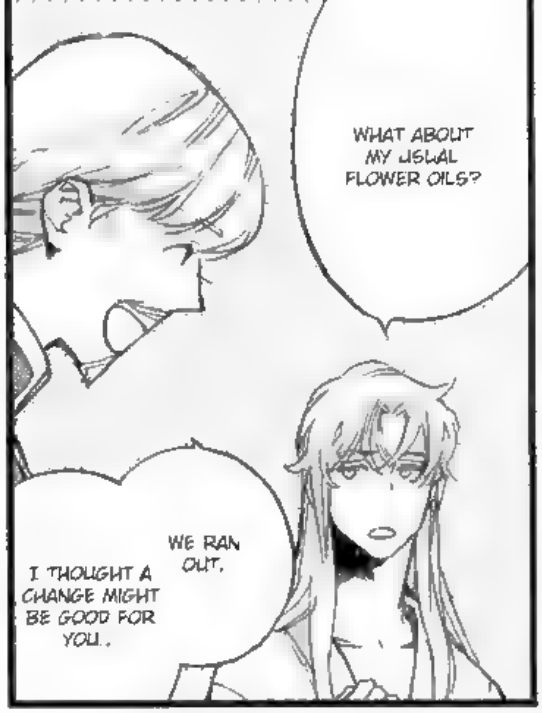
EH.
LORD MONTAGUE'S IRON DEFENCE HAS CAUSED THE YOUNG MASTER TO FALTER.
NOT JUST TO FALTER, BUT TO EVEN RESIGN HIMSELF TO CALLING SAID IRON DEFENCE ADORABLE.

YOU'RE ALL SO OPEN-HEARTED...
sigh
BUT ANY FUTURE TOGETHERNESS IS STILL A FAR-OFF DREAM.

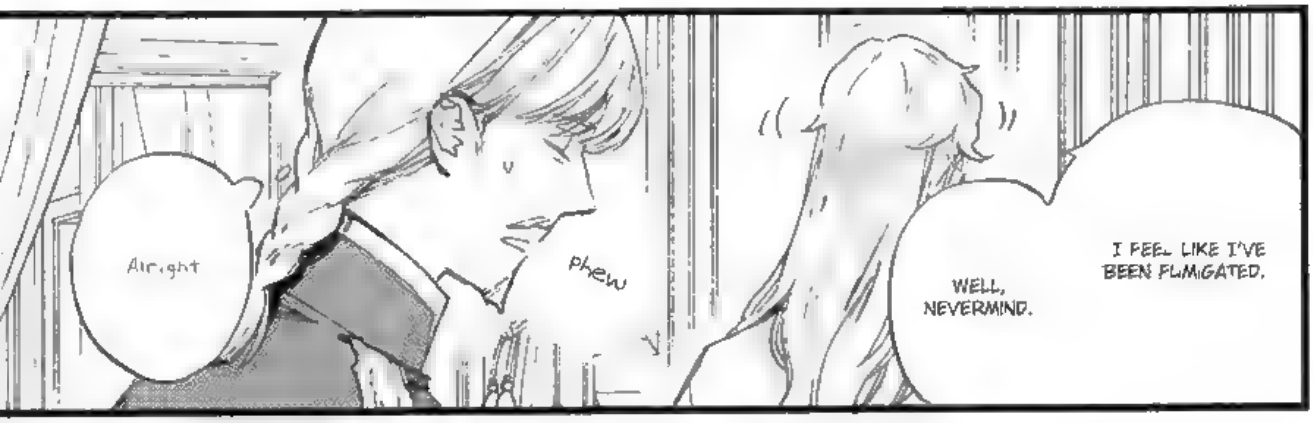
AGREED
LET'S PRETEND WE DIDN'T HEAR THAT
It's so annoying
TO MAKE MATTERS WORSE, YOUNG MASTER IS LOSING SIGHT OF HIS AIM TO THE POINT WHERE I REALLY JUST WANT THEM TO GET TOGETHER PROBLEM-SOLVE USING THE BEDROOM .

I WONDER IF THERE'S NOTHING TO BE DONE.
WE NEED TO GET LORD MONTAGUE TO FALL IN LOVE WITH MY YOUNG MASTER...

...IS THERE ANY WAY WE COULD APPEAL TO LORD MONTAGUE'S TASTES...?
AH, I SEE... THE MOST BASIC APPROACH!
LET'S GIVE IT A TRY.
.....?
YES, WELL,
WE JUST, AH. BURNED SOME INCENSE.
BUDUMP
AH.
...PAUL.
THIS SHIRT SMELLS STRANGE.

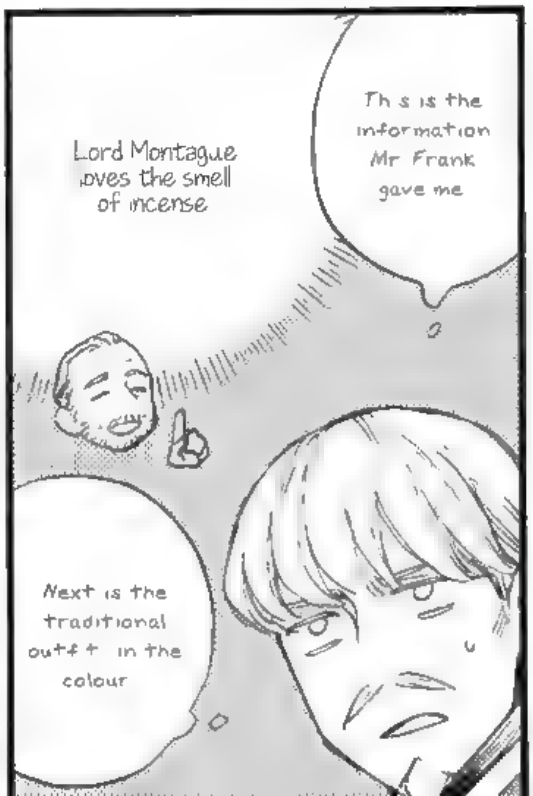

WHAT ABOUT MY USUAL FLOWER OILS?
WE RAN OUT.
I THOUGHT A CHANGE MIGHT BE GOOD FOR YOU..

sniff
INCENSE...?
IT'S NOT CINDERS, IT'S SMOKE, SIR.
THOSE CINDERS THEY USE TO PLEASE THE DEITIES IN THE FAR EAST?


Alright
phew
WELL, NEVERMIND.
I FEEL LIKE I'VE BEEN FUMIGATED.

I THOUGHT IT WOULD SUIT YOU.
..NORMALLY IT'S A BLUE TO MATCH MY EYES..?

Violet.


Lord Montague loves the smell of incense
This is the information Mr Frank gave me
Next is the traditional outfit in the colour

YES, IT SEEMS THAT LORD MONTAGUE FAVOURS THE FAR EASTERN STYLES.

STYLE?

I'M SORRY, I WAS TRYING TO CHANGE YOUR STYLE TODAY...

AH...

LET ME IN ON THE JOKE, TOO.

SOMETHING'S GOING ON, ISN'T IT?

Ah, that face

HONESTLY, I DON'T KNOW.

PREVIOUSLY I WORE AN ANGEL OUTFIT BUT IT DIDN'T INTEREST HIM AT ALL DO YOU REALLY THINK THIS WILL WORK?

**WHERE DID YOU GET THIS VALUABLE INFORMATION?!**

SO I THOUGHT TO USE THAT-

**PAUL!**

IT'S SOMETHING WORTH A TRY.

TODAY LORD MONTAGUE IS STAYING AT THE MANSION TO WORK ON SOME DOCUMENTS, SO...

Lord Montague is secretly having fun slowly translating and reading a far eastern nove.

So I thougnt perhaps it's worth trying a far eastern style

WE MIGHT AS WELL TRY GOING ON THE OFFENSIVE!
YOU'RE NOT GETTING ANYWHERE, ANYWAY! THERE'S NOTHING TO LOSE!
ARE YOU TRYING TO MAKE ME CRY?
Now now
Will this really work..?
I'm not satisfied
rumble
OH.
drip
FRANK, IT'S RAINING
drip
drip...
W-WHAT'S WRONG? IT'S JUST RAIN.
MN!?
FLINCH
DROP
EH!?

Blink
HAH?!
AND WE ARRANGED FOR YOU BOTH TO TAKE LUNCH IN THE GARDENS TODAY...
I'M SO SORRY... WE.. WELL..
WE HEARD OF YOUR PROMISE WITH SIR CANNING,
W-WHY WOULD YOU DO THAT...?
PLEASE FORGIVE US! WE GOT CARRIED AWAY!
?
?
NO, I THINK PAUL IS THE ONE WHO GOT CARRIED AWAY.
HE GOT ME INTO THESE STRANGE CLOTHES BUT THE RAIN HAS RUINED IT
Tadaa~
.....!?

DON'T TELL ME YOU'RE HAKURYUU FROM 'HAKUDOUSHINKI'...!?

YOU LOOK EXACTLY LIKE THE ILLUSTRATION IN THE BOOK I'M READING.

EH.. BUT WHY WOULD YOU WEAR THAT?

I HAVE ABSOLUTELY NO IDEA.

I REALLY DON'T THINK IT SUITS ME,

IS IT STRANGE?

BUT IT WAS STRONGLY PRESSED ON ME THAT IT WOULD MAKE YOU HAPPY...

. ...

Ah

PAUL, IT LOOKS LIKE THIS DIDN'T WORK

Ahh, I'm so sorry.

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and more

glance

we're almost ready to head out to the courts of law

I can't see Joel

Hmmm

!?

DASH

AH, LORD MONTAGUE...!

AH.

!

flinch

RUSTLE

JOEL!

UWAH!

dash

what? why is he running?

WHY DID YOU RUN...
.. .....
.. .MORNING, ADAM...
Ngh...
Clean shaven

MY NEW RAZOR WAS A LOT SHARPER THAN I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE
I DIDN'T WANT YOU TO SEE ME LIKE THIS...

DID YOU GRANT MY WISH...?!
ABSOLUTELY NOT!

?
WHY NOT!? I'M REALLY HAPPY!
THAT'S WHY!
OH...NEVERMIND

I PERSONALLY VIEW BEING STRONGLY HELD WITHOUT ASSENT TO BE A CRIME.
I'M SORRY, I'M NOT TRYING TO OVERRULE YOU...
T-THAT BAD...?!

I WEAR A WIG TO WORK ANYWAY
THOUGH I'D RATHER NOT WEAR IT RIGHT NOW...
hug

REALLY. IT'S TOO EARLY FOR THIS.
IT MIGHT GET ME SOMETHING IN MY TROUSERS!

I PROMISE I WON'T DO ANYTHING!
I JUST WANT TO GET A CLOSER LOOK.
LOOKING'S NOT GOING TO GET YOU ANYTHING.
Let go!

I thought he'd look younger without the beard but he looks so very young
Enough we're heading to work. Are you listening to me?
I wonder what he was like as a boy, before I knew him ?
It makes his pale face even more noticeable
which is also cute

WHAT DID YOU PROMISE!? DO YOU EVEN REMEMBER!?
NEVER AGAIN WILL I BELIEVE THE WORDS 'I WON'T DO ANYTHING' COMING OUT OF YOUR MOUTH!!
BUT...UHH.. I'M SORRY.. I JUST...I JUST. .

!?

teary
Before I knew him

and more / END

Are you enjoying this rodomontade manga called Barbarities? Is it ok?

Hello, this is Suzuki Tsuta with the second volume

Wrapping cloth

I REALLY WANT TO SEE SOME OLD STONE BUILDINGS...

STONE??

like the kind in RPGs

SOUNDS GREAT

I WANT TO GET OUT OF HERE AND GO ON HOLIDAY ON A TRIP

was our conversation but

WAR-ZONE

Scanning for me

Vrrrrr

A little while ago

I've always preferred eastern styles but since starting this manga I've started liking western styles more

Men's heels

Ruffled up from the sleeve

From watching foreign period dramas and movies I became a fan of the actors and became completely fascinated with it all

BUT.

is what I said

TOTALLY NOT INTERESTED.

SERIOUSLY...?

Castles and steeples are better

I'd rather go see some old wooden Japanese Shinto shrines.

And that's how Barbarities came to be

I know... I'll make it a fantasy world

~~Researching is a pain in the~~
I want to draw all the things I like

There's so many wonderful things and each country and time period had its own fashions

HOLY-
IT IS! I THOUGHT IT WAS A WEIRDLY GOOD FAKE!!

HOLY-
THIS IS A REAL REMBRANDT!!

Huh

Not a clue

Friend from College of Arts getting excited.

I went sightseeing to the Wallace Collection and was shocked at the true scale of wealth

The first time I went to England on a trip

I'm going to watch a play!

Oh... oh my god so cool...!!!

It was the window

shiver

Tada!

The piece I liked best wasn't the items

Wow look at all the treasures.

Can't draw them...

ncidentally, the sunroom was right above the entry hall which was perfect
It's like a dream.
Earnestly imagining.
I want to see it...
Thinking back, that's what started the ball rolling.
What if you dragged someone n here ?
Bdmp Bdmp
pant pant
Wh oa amaz ng, so cool so h gh, so narrow
Couldn't you close the curtain and have secret talks n here ?
I find a song I like but get used to and bored of it really quickly
By the way I'm constantly searching for BGM for my manuscripts.
silence
The huge hall with all the portraits of girls with their eyes rolled back felt really risque.
So th s was a k nk, hun.
he o-fact was been around for long time.
Anyway, I collected them from movie soundtracks.
iTunes is great
I like the kind of active, fast-feeling music they use as backgrounds to action scenes in anime and movies
Still don't know
What do they call that genre ?
Recently I get bored of them even faster. It's become a problem.
This is no good.
I need to properly get to gr ps w th the k nd of mus c I l ke
lift

It's not too bright or too dark, it's got some fire, it's raw with lots of lovely high voices all overlapping

shine

It's called 'The Bulgarian Voices'

This is it!!

shiver

I actually found a genre I love that's not fast at all

Maa-

Mou-

ruka

Maa

a-

I wish I'd found it sooner

Pretty much all the songs are the same and I like them all, so to me 'The Bulgarian Voice' is a miracle genre.

I feel like found them because we're in an age where you can buy songs off the internet one by one

When I made a friend listen to it she said 'It sounds like you're being called to heaven

I LIKE IT!

Ah, so kind.

And so please let volume 3 be the last one! Please be the last one!!

I'd love to hear them live . I wish I could travel to Bulgaria All I knew about it was yogurt

Special thanks

Maki-san
Saba-san
Jyazou-san
Ame-san,
Shiiranamikamoina-san

Thank you for everything!

can't think of anything and I'm being called isocially

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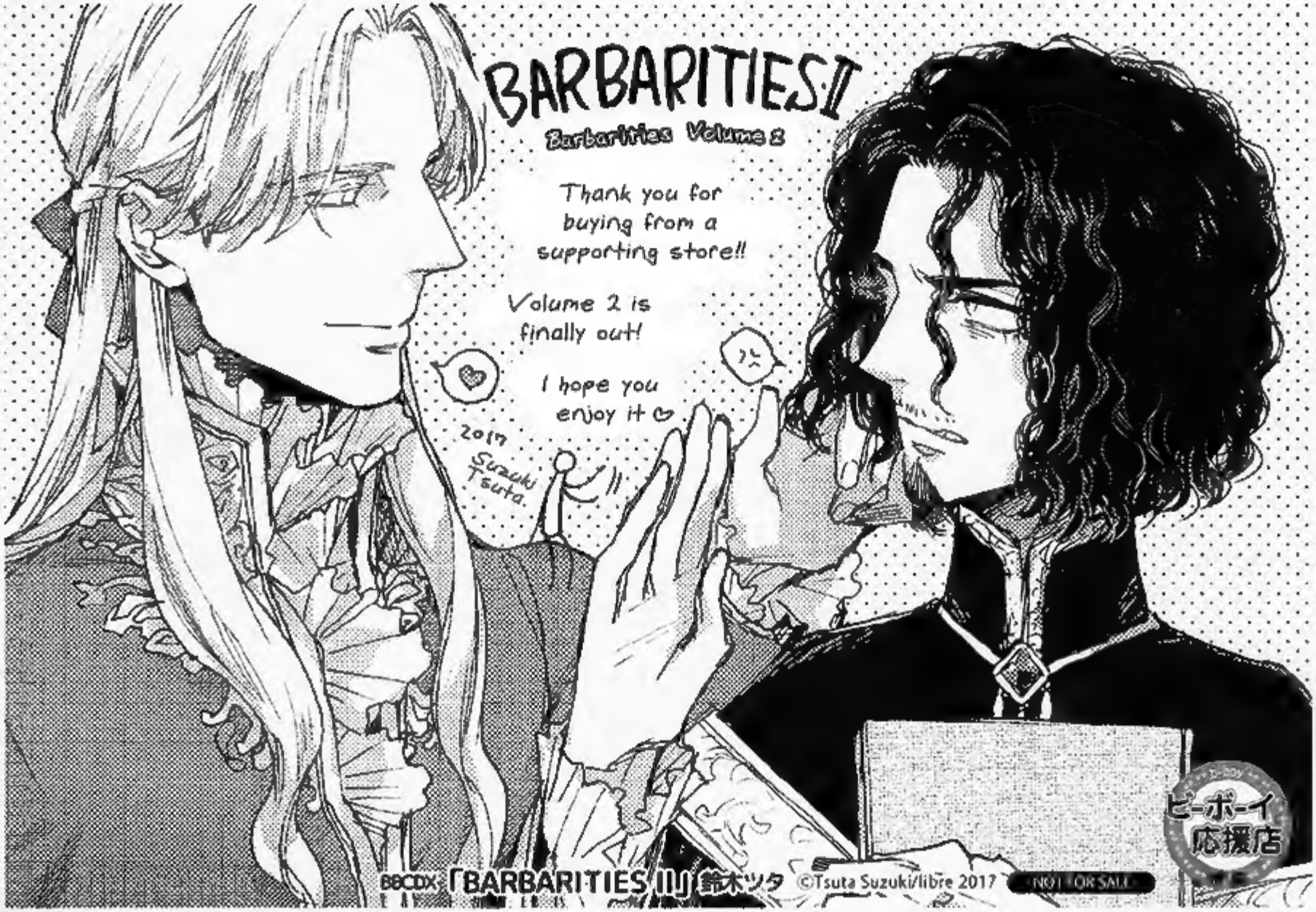
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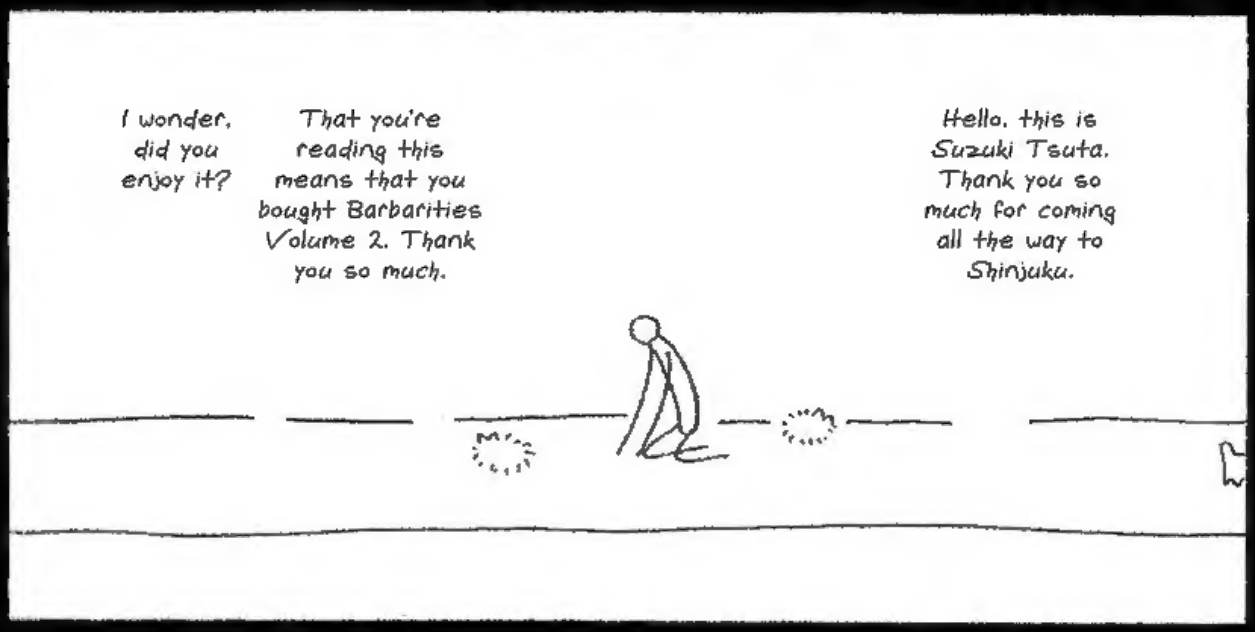


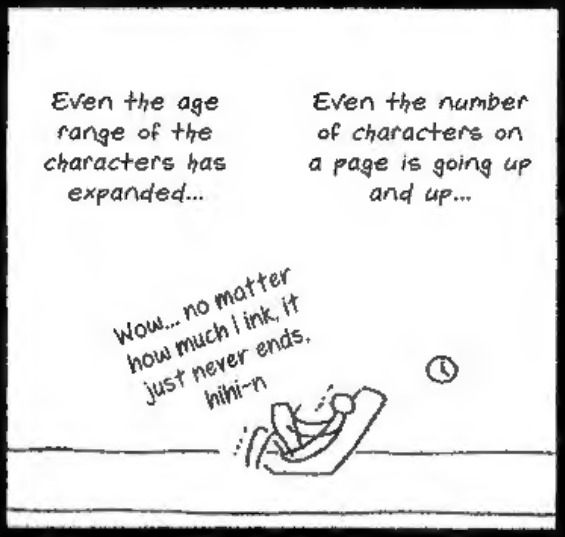

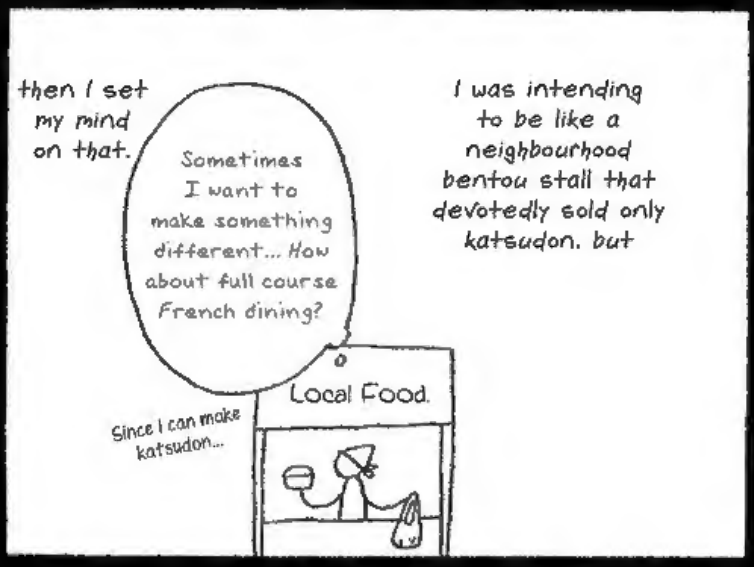

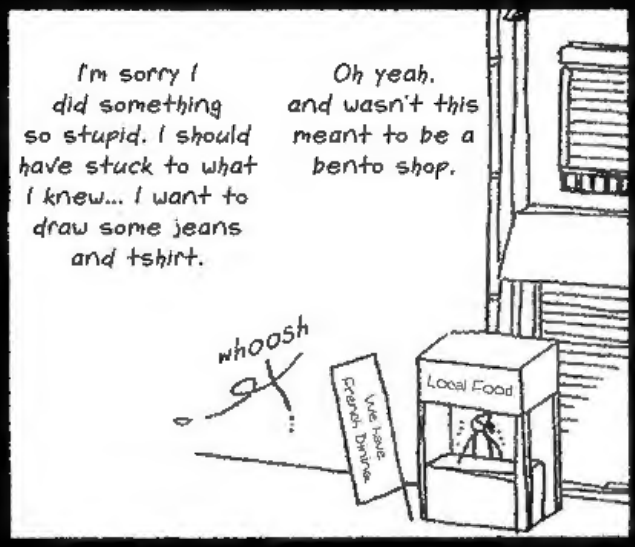

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By the way, I have no idea whether it will end with volume 3. I don't actually think further ahead than what I'm drawing this month...

Surprised? Me too.

Until next time ♡

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